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LOWELL MASS. TUESDAY NOVEMBER 30 1909

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THE MEDICAL CASE

For Alleged Larceny of Medicine Before Police Court

The case of Paul R. Fiedler, of Melthen, charged with the larceny of 422 bottles of Mathew's Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil from Joseph Routhier and Adolphe Delisle, of the Lowell pharmacy, which was opened on Wednesday of last week, came up on continuance this morning in the police court.

According to the complaint it is alleged that the defendant entered into a transaction whereby he was to give them Gauvin's syrup in exchange for Mathew's syrup. The druggists' claim that they carried out their part of the bargain, but that the defendant instead of giving them Gauvin's gave them a substitute. The alleged substitution was not known to Messrs. Routhier and Delisle until Mr. J. A. E. Gauvin, the manufacturer of the original syrup, called their attention to the fact, Mr. Gauvin is the complainant in the case.

Messrs. A. O. Dame and William H. Bent appeared for the government and the defendant was represented by Lawyer W. J. Bradley of Lawrence.

Witness also testified that he sold syrup to a Mr. Desrosiers in Lakeview avenue and Toupin, the druggist, who has a place in Aiken street. Chrysologue Plenard, who conducts a grocery store in Moody street, testified that he purchased syrup from Mr. Jackson and further testified relative to Mr. Gauvin calling at his store subsequent to the time he purchased the syrup from Mr. Jackson. Witness also purchased some syrup purporting to be Gauvin's syrup from Routhier & Delisle.

Contention of Counsel

Before any witness had been called Lawyer Bradley stated to the court that he had tried to have the counsel for the commonwealth state the specific act that the commonwealth intended to rely upon, but that the request had not been granted. Mr. Bradley then filed a motion with the court, which requested that the specific date be made known to him.

Lawyer Bent argued that it would be impossible to specify the date and amount of syrup taken. He said that he felt that all he was required to show was the time when the general agreement was made.

According to the complaint it is alleged that Fiedler and Routhier & De-

lise entered into an agreement whereby the former was to supply the firm with Gauvin's Syrup and Routhier & Delisle were to give him Mathew's Syrup. It is further alleged that while the agreement was made at one time goods were exchanged from time to time in varying quantities. Referring to the complaint Lawyer Bradley said that he felt that he was entitled to know the date of the alleged "from time to time" transactions.

Lawyer Bent insisted that it would be almost impossible to give the different dates on which the transactions were made, and all that was necessary was to stipulate the date of the first transaction.

Mr. Bradley said that there was no criminal act committed until the goods were delivered on agreement.

Judge Hadley ruled that each delivery constituted a separate and distinct offense, but as the complaint included but one count that the government should indicate the particular occasion when the offense was committed.

Mr. Bent said that all he claimed was one offense under the entire transaction.

Judge Hadley ruled that the government should stipulate the specific date that they relied upon.

Mr. Bent said that the government relied on the first delivery.

Mr. Routhier, of the firm of Routhier & Delisle, who testified Wednesday, testified that he was unable to give the dates of the transactions that he had with Fiedler.

He also admitted that despite the fact that he had been notified to bring his books into court he had not done so. Witness said that he had looked through the books and found that they did not show any entries of transactions with Fiedler.

William W. Culler, of the Eastern Drug Co., of Boston, said that his firm had purchased Gauvin's syrup from time to time and from different people. Witness said that he did not know Fiedler and when Fiedler was pointed out to him he said that he did not remember ever seeing the defendant before last Wednesday.

John J. Jackson, formerly superintendent of cemeteries of this city, but now a salesman for Fiedler Bros. of Lawrence, testified that he had sold Gauvin's syrup to a Mr. Picard, a grocer in Moody street, this city. He sold two dozen bottles of the syrup to Mr. Picard for \$2. Witness said that the syrup came from Fiedler Bros.

FUNERAL NOTICES

KEEFE—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen M. Tomlinson Keefe will take place Thursday morning from the home of her mother, 5 Madison place at 8:30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of John F. Rogers.

RYAN—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Ryan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 779 Westford street. A solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. J. P. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

HENNESSEY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hennessy will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 40 By street, and at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MALONEY—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Maloney will take place Wednesday morning at 9:15 o'clock from her home, No. 25 Clifford street, and at 10:15 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REGNIER—Died, Nov. 28th, in this city, Joseph C. Regnier, aged 61 years, at his late residence, 117 Grand street. He leaves his wife and three children, Edward, Joseph and Francis. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 7:30 o'clock from the residence, 117 Grand street. A solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated at the church of Notre Dame. Burial at 8 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LIBBY—Died, Nov. 28th, in this city, Mrs. Mary J. Libby, aged 66 years, at her home, 29 Hastings st. Funeral services will be held from the residence of Charles H. McIntire, 831 Washington street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Undertaker George W. Healey in charge.

CHARLES S. SMITH DEAD

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Charles S. Smith, one of the last of the old New England merchant princes who laid the foundations of the fortunes before the Civil war, died at his home today of pleurisy. He was 77 years old. Mr. Smith was born in Exeter, N. H., and began business as a boy in a wholesale dry goods house. He retired from active business in 1887, but remained a director of the Fifth Avenue bank of New York of which he was one of the founders, the Fourth National, the Merchants National and the Greenwich Savings bank, and a member of the executive of the chamber of commerce.

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HIS CHILD WIFE

Had Young Man in Court for Neglect

JUDGE HADLEY CALLED THEM CHILDREN

AndAppealed to Officer Slattery to See If He Could Do Something to Harmonize Matters

"Here's a couple of children who went away and got married; see what you can do for them," said Judge Hadley to Probation Officer Slattery in police court this morning when he turned Arthur Desrosiers and the latter's wife, Gertrude, over to the man who is generally called upon to settle the majority of marital troubles that come before the local court.

The young couple are just out of their teens and have been married less than seven months, but the wife complained that the husband did nothing toward supporting her and as a last resort she had to apply to the court for a warrant for his arrest.

Mr. Desrosiers said that her husband never gave her any money, but a little later said, "He did give me ten cents on one occasion." Continuing, she said: "He has been getting \$2 a day and after we got married he had a store book, but after buying it for about a month and refusing to pay the man, even though he had the money in his pocket, the book was taken away from him and he was refused credit.

"On Saturdays and Sundays I have had something to eat, but it was a case of starve during the remainder of the week. When I complained to him of being cold, there being no wood or coal in the house, he has told me that if I wanted to keep warm that I could stay in bed."

Probation Officer Slattery, after giving the boyish husband a little sound advice, gave him a chance to do better, but in the event of not doing so Desrosiers was given to understand that he would find himself in jail.

He also admitted that despite the fact that he had been notified to bring his books into court he had not done so.

Witness said that he had looked through the books and found that they did not show any entries of transactions with Fiedler.

Edward Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sent to jail until Saturday morning in order that he might get time to think it over.

John E. Bulmer said he wasn't drunk. Special Officer Briggs said that John was. Supt. Welch said John was on parole, and Judge Hadley said continue the case until tomorrow, which means that this afternoon Bulmer will be on his way back to Bridgewater.

Michael Sullivan and Alexander Savignac, drunks, were each fined \$5.

CHARLES S. WARD

The Great Y. M. C. A. Building Fund Promoter

ONE MORE COUPLE

The following marriage intention was registered at the city clerk's office today:

James L. Fox, 23, newsdealer, Lawrence, Mass., and Ethel G. Hacker, 22, at home, 112 Chelmsford street.

EVELONS, O. U. A. M., TONIGHT

TO EXTEND RAILROAD

AMOY, China, Nov. 30.—The imperial board of communications has advanced \$500,000 for the extension of the Amoy & Chang Chow railroad.

MADE PRIVATE SECRETARY

MANILA, Nov. 30.—Edward Dowditch, a former football player of Harvard, was today appointed private secretary to Governor General Forbes. He had been acting in a similar capacity for the governor's predecessor for several months.

CHARLES S. WARD

Charles S. Ward, international secretary of the Y. M. C. A., has raised \$100,000 and built 40 new buildings, inspiring thousands of workers with enthusiasm while he was doing it. It was he who put through the Boston campaign for \$500,000 with such success a few weeks ago.

Candidate Mechan at Headquarters

Mr. John F. Mecham, democratic candidate for mayor, was one of the attendants at the lunch at the Y. M. C. A. headquarters this noon and received an unexpected reception. Mr. Mecham had got the enthusiasm and went up as an individual to partake of the noonday lunch. He had hardly entered the hall when he was recognized by those who were personally acquainted and was at once introduced all around. The cordial greeting given him was entirely unexpected and hence all the more pleasing to the recipient.

Y. M. C. A. Subscription Card

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SIX DAYS RACE JIMMY GARDNER

The Foreign Riders Arrive in New York

When the French Line steamship La Touraine docked in New York city Saturday morning, there were, after the usual seance with the customs inspectors, disembarked nine foreign riders, all but one of whom have come to America for the express purpose of competing in the forthcoming six days race which will take place in Madison Square Garden, New York city, the week of December 6 to 11, inclusive.

The riders who sailed from Havre, France, were Walter Rutt, of Germany; John Stol, of Holland; Leon George, G. Germain, Emile Georget and Charles Parent, of France; Cunillo and E. Carapezz, of Italy; Reginald Shirley of England.

The only rider of the number named who will not compete in the six days race is Parent, the world's champion pace follower. He has been engaged to meet Robert J. Walther in a special 10 miles motor-paced race, which may or may not be the feature of the preliminary races meet next Saturday night, 4th Inst. The real feature of that meet doubtless will be the match sprint race between Frank L. Kramer, who won the American professional championship this season through a technicality, and A. J. Clarke, the Australian, who finished second in the series, and whose withdrawal in the final race gave Kramer a more or less hollow victory. The match race will be of more than ordinary interest, for the reason stated.

Plans for the six days race next week have progressed rapidly. The track, which will measure one-tenth of a mile, as in former years, will be completed in time to allow the new riders sufficient practice upon its sharp banks. Pending the completion of the ten laps wooden saucer, the foreign and other riders will devote their time to training upon the roads.

The foreigners do not appear as formidable an aggregation as have crossed the pond upon former occasions. The prowess of Rutt and Stol, who won in 1907, and finished second to Macfarland and Moran last year, is well known. Leon Georget and Emile Georget rode as a team in 1907, but the latter did not compete last year. Victor Dupre being Leon's mate. In view of the fact that Emile has been on the sick list for about a year it is doubtful if he will be a great help to his younger brother.

The other teams are Germain and Shirley and Cunillo and Carapezz. It was learned that Germain is not the negro, but an old time French plunger, but at any rate he is not a crack. Reginald Shirley is an English sprinter, ranking with Benyon, who blew up early in the race two years ago. This is the maiden offense for both Germain and Shirley, as it will be for Cunillo and Carapezz, the Italian duo. Cunillo is not a track rider and he may find it difficult to accustom himself to such a small track as the Madison Square Garden oval. As a hardy road rider he is in a class with Gerbi, one of the best macadam flers that the sunny peninsula ever produced. Carapezz is a well known second-class sprinter.

So far as can be learned the field of contestants now numbers 17 teams, and unless there are eleventh hour changes the combinations that will whirl around the ten laps pine bowl all next week a million times or less, are as follows:

Root and Fogler, Anderson and Vanoni, Lawson and De Mara, Pye and Hehr, Lawrence and Hinsdale, West and Mitten, Krebs and Cameron, Galvin and Jones, Bardgett and Logan, Wiley and Drobach, Clarke and Macfarland, Walther and Collins, Carapezz and Cunillo, Butt and Stol, Georget and Georget, Germain and Shirley, and Hill and Stein.

FIRE IN NASHUA

Caused the Loss of About \$3500

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 30.—Fire, which resulted in a loss of \$3500, destroyed the stables adjoining the residence of Gen. Charles W. Stevens on Main street yesterday. It broke out late in the afternoon and owing to the quantity of hay and grain in the lofts the fire companies from the central and Lake street stations were kept on duty until 8 o'clock.

The fire started in an unknown way and had gained considerable headway when discovered. By the time the fire companies could be assembled the building and its adjoining carriage house were enveloped in flames.

After an hour's work the flames were under control and the balance of the time was devoted to extinguishing the blaze in the bay, of which there were seven tons in the stable. Two horses which were in the stable were taken out, but harnesses and other equipments were lost.

The F. D. Cook Lumber company's storehouse and other buildings were threatened at times. The building was covered by an insurance of \$2500.

100 MEN RESCUED

One Man Was Burned to Death

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—Frank Marrow, an American, was killed in a coal mine explosion at Marion, Ill., yesterday and more than 100 men were rescued with difficulty. Marrow was in that portion of the mine which received the full force of the explosion and his body was nearly incinerated before the rescuers could reach it.

More than 100 men were in the colliery when the gas blast came. There was an immediate rush for the shaft and as the cage had not been damaged, all the workmen were soon brought to the surface.

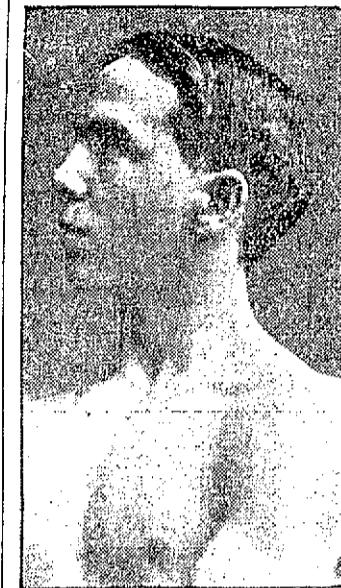
Nearly a score of the men, however, mindful of the disaster at Cherry, Ill., were too terrified to avail the usual means of exit and clung to daylight through the ventilating shaft.

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SECOND FLOOR

Allowed Twin Sullivan to Reach Him

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 30.—In the opinion of nearly all the 3000 fans who witnessed the 12-round go at the Grand Opera House last evening between Mike (Twin) Sullivan of Cambridge and Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, there was an understanding between the principals.

The crowd hissed the fighters again and again and went home disgusted.



JIMMY GARDNER

The bout was declared a draw. The Anchor athletic club, which arranged the match, was not held responsible by the spectators, for the blame was charged me to the boxers. The fact that the bout was at catchweight and not at welterweight also tended to strengthen the belief of the crowd that it was a fake, pure and simple.

Five or six times Gardner simply stood still and allowed Sullivan to pounce him at will. There was not a good blow struck in the bout. Boxing has never been popular with the New Haven police, and in the opinion of the experts last night's affair will make it difficult to get another permit in this city.

The police stopped the preliminary bout between Eddie Kelly of Bridgeport and "Joe" Marks of Highwood in the second round in order to save Kelly from being knocked out as he was in bad shape.

The semi-final between "Bunny" Ford of New Haven and Terry Fitzgerald of New Britain resulted in a draw. This was a 10-round go. In the first few rounds Ford led, but Fitzgerald was clever in blocking and evaded matters.

YOUNG LOUGHREY WON

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Young Loughrey of Philadelphia, easily defeated Eddie Murphy of South Boston in 12 rounds at the National A. C. in South Boston last night. The bout was all Loughrey's from the start.

In the preliminaries Kid McDonald and Joe Murphy, both of Boston, went eight rounds to a draw and the referee stopped the bout between Jimmy Kerrigan and Mike Murray, both of South Boston, in the fifth round and gave the decision to Murray, Kerrigan being in bad shape.

JACK JOHNSON

WILL NOT FIGHT JEFFRIES IN THE SOUTH

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 30.—That he would not fight James J. Jeffries south of Mason and Dixon's line was the statement made yesterday by Jack Johnson, heavy weight pugilist. In a telegram to Mr. Nick Agar of a local athletic club, in answer to the latter's offer of a purse for the battle.

This statement accompanied the advice that it would be useless for a southern club to make an offer because the black man would not consider it.

JUDGE UTLEY

DETERMINED TO KEEP DRUNKS OFF THE CARS

WORCESTER, Nov. 30.—Judge Samuel Utley of the central district court yesterday took a hand in the effort to eliminate the presence of drunken men on suburban cars running into Worcester from the license towns around the city by imposing a \$15 fine on a defendant.

In imposing the fine Judge Utley said: "If the railway authorities moved in this matter in the right direction, in the first place, there wouldn't be any evil like this at all. Years ago I told the probation officers that drunken men taken from electric cars or trains should not be discharged without arraignment. Those men should be dealt with harshly, and the growing street car nuisance would soon pass into oblivion."

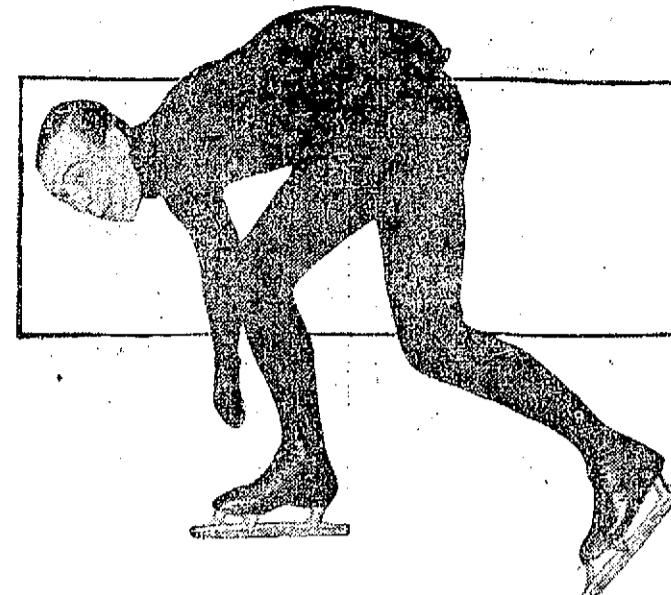
DANIEL REED

MAN OF NOTED ANCESTRY IS DEAD

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—The body of Daniel Reed, who died here Sunday night, aged 91, at the Emergency home for aged people, was cremated yesterday afternoon at the Missouri crematory. He was born in Cincinnati, Mo., and leaves a daughter Miss Weston Reed, aged 54.

His grandfather was Gen. James Reed, who served under Washington in the Revolution. In 1810 he married Martha Frances Gray, grandmother of William Gray of Boston, who owned 29 ships.

He was 20 years a sea captain, leaving that calling to become a tallow revenue ranger at Boston. He was a assistant surgeon under Gen. U. S. Grant in the Civil war, after which he was a realty agent many years until he retired to the soldier's home at Danville, Ill. He came to the Emergency home nine years ago.

CLARENCE GRANGER, DECLARED AMATEUR SKATING CHAMPION

will attend the Armory club this evening to see Freddie Maguire go six rounds with Bobbie Tickle of Providence. Maguire is in fine condition. The main bout will be of 12 rounds between Roy Bronson and Dave Deshler.

A TRIPLE TIE**For the World's Billiard Championship**

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A triple tie for the world's professional 18-2 ball billiard championship resulted from yesterday's play in the tournament at Madison Square garden. At the afternoon session, George Sutton of Chicago, defeated Firmin Cassaignol, the French champion; and this evening Calvin Demarest of Chicago won from George Slosson, the New York player.

The two winners are therefore tied with Harry P. Cline of Philadelphia, each of the three having completed his schedule with four games won and one lost. The scores of the six contestants for the championship are as follows:

Won Lost P.C.

Cline	4	1	.800
Sutton	4	1	.800
Demarest	4	1	.800
Slosson	1	3	.250
Cassaignol	1	4	.200
Cutter	0	4	.000

Totals 458 478 462 1333

X. M. C. L.

McCart	2	3	.750
J. Martin	2	3	.500
A. Doyle	3	0	.500
Moran	3	2	.500
T. F. Kelley	3	0	.500

Totals 489 468 440 1397

Belvidere

Curry	3	100	.92 .275
Gilligan	3	100	.94 .280
Clark	105	88	.107 .202
L. Martin	100	90	.74 .264
Vice	87	89	.95 .271

Totals 458 478 462 1333

T. F. Kelley

Duggan	89	88	.89 .266
Gleeson	89	85	.97 .271
McNamee	88	105	.95 .288
Pope	88	77	.87 .280
O'Brien	88	94	.91 .373

Totals 442 459 477 1378

Crimsom

J. Ryan	2	3	.750
Bretton	85	89	.87 .241
Stack	81	84	.91 .260
J. Manning	92	77	.84 .268
E. Dickinson	84	80	.99 .260

Totals 434 411 430 1265

Dines

McGarr	70	73	.81 .232
Callens	66	80	.81 .227
Holland	76	62	.81 .234
F. Stowell	73	52	.82 .250
E. Stowell	76	111	.76 .266

Totals 370 409 389 1188

DR. ROLLER HELD GOTCH

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 30.—Dr. B. F. Roller, wrestling champion of the Pacific coast, held Frank Gotch, world's heavyweight champion, fifteen minutes without a fall last night in an exhibition here.

POLICE OFFICER

Was Clubbed by Two

Men

FALL RIVER, Nov. 30.—Clubbed over the head, back and hands with a baseball bat by two men, one of whom was a fugitive from justice, Inspector Hugh Bogan had a thrilling experience last night. He was clubbed at close range by the narrowest margin. This sent the Boggan score up to 191 against 115 for Demarest, but the Chicago player overcame this lead with a series of two figure runs and kept his lead to the end.

The Demarest-Slosson match last evening was close at first but toward the latter part of it Demarest scored heavily, going out in the 32nd inning with a brilliant unfinished run of 82, and winning by a score of 500 to 364. Slosson made a remarkable run of 123 in his 11th, finally missing a three-cushion try by the narrowest margin. This sent the Slosson score up to 191 against 115 for Demarest, but the Chicago player overcame this lead with a series of two figure runs and kept his lead to the end.

In the 18th round Powell made his only showing. It was the most vicious and the most vicious and for a moment it looked as though Powell might turn the tables. He sent in several ponderous right smashes as Ad rushed and forced him to stall most of the round. Toward the close of the round, however, Powell sprang again and after a fearful pounding Powell went to his corner groggy. Wolgast again took the lead and held it to the finish, all the time mauling up Powell and bringing fresh blood in almost every round.

Inspector Bogan and Shny called at the Hathaway home and while Inspector Bogan rang the front doorbell Inspector Shny ran around to guard the rear door. Williams appeared in answer to Bogan's ring and said Hathaway was not at home. Just then Hathaway's figure loomed up behind Williams. He reached over Williams' shoulder and struck at the Inspector with a baseball bat.

Bogan grappled Hathaway and the two men struggled about the house. Williams is accused of wrenching the bat away and striking the Inspector twice across the back. Bogan retained his grip and Hathaway went to the floor.

Then Williams was said to have swung the bat again and brought it down on Bogan's head, cutting the scalp. Feeling that he was losing his strength Bogan backed out of the house.

He told Inspector Shny of the fight he had and the latter summoned assistance from headquarters. Inspector Bogan was able to appear in court yesterday morning.

DETROIT AMERICANS WON

MATANZAS, Nov. 30.—The Detroit Americans defeated the Matanzas baseball team here yesterday by a score of 11 to 7.

MARTIN SNEE DEAD

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Martin Snee, of Haverhill, an old time lightweight boxer who met most of the men of his class in his day, died at the Homeopathic hospital in this city late yesterday, following an operation. He was born in Haverhill 47 years ago, and followed the trade of a shoemaker. He met Jen Carey of England, Austin Gibbons of New Jersey and had three notable battles with Dick Morehouse. His last bout was a 20 round draw with Leslie Pierce of Philadelphia in Lowell in 1895.

He leaves two brothers and a sister in Haverhill.

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STABBED TO DEATH

Young Woman Was Trying to Save Her Father

VINCENNES, Ind., Nov. 30.—Interfering to save her father, Jasper Burba, Miss Etta Burba, 20 years old, was stabbed to death by Oscar Savage, her sweetheart, at her home last night. Savage attacked Burba with a long knife, inflicting a gash across the forehead. Burba defended himself with a bottle and his daughter tried to protect him. Either in a fit of rage or by accident, Savage plunged the knife

into the girl's heart and she died almost instantly.

Burba told his sister-in-law to call the police. Savage pursued her, brandishing the bloody knife until she reached the police station. Then he returned to the Burba home, and placed his sweetheart's body on a bed. He was sitting beside it when the police arrived. He seemed stupefied and protested that the girl was not dead.

COCAINE USED

By the Inmates at Deer Island

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—James C. White, secretary to Mayor Hibbard, has, at the latter's request, made an investigation of the charges that cocaine and other drugs are being used by the inmates of the house of correction at Deer Island, and in his report he admits that the "dope" habit exists among the prisoners, but not to any such alarming extent as has been represented.

Sec. White reports that of the 1500 prisoners at the house of correction not more than 40 are victims or users of drugs. He places the number between 25 and 40, although allegations have been made that approximately 300 were addicted to the drug habit.

In regard to the charges that cocaine and other forms of drug were given to the prisoners by officers at the institution, Sec. White believes

that they are unfounded, but he practically admits that the stuff has been brought to the island in surreptitious ways. Neither does the secretary believe that large quantities of drugs reach the inmates, nor does he believe that drugs are brought to the island regularly.

In his investigation Sec. White discovered that cocaine reached the prisoners through the many futile ways which the inventive minds of those afflicted with the craze have devised, and he is of the opinion that some cocaine has been given to prisoners beneath postage stamps and in the binding of books. Although he thinks part of the dope is brought in by the inmates themselves at the time of their commitment and in such a manner as to defy a bodily search, the bulk of the smuggling has been done by visitors.

As to the charges that some of the officers have assisted in the illegal traffic in drugs, the secretary says that it is true and it is also to be feared that among the officers there have been some who have fallen under the temptation, but upon mere suspicion these officers have been discharged, and he feels confident that when the master of the house of correction asserts that he now thinks his lists are clear, that they are and that injustice is being done the officers when it is said that they are aware of the situation and daily witnesses of the various attending practices.

As a remedy against the evil, Sec. White recommends in his report that the 30 or 40 inmates addicted to drug be at once segregated and placed under the observation of the medical officers. He also goes a step further and recommends that the list of visitors to the island be reduced and that all officers on the island be sworn in as constables. He suggests that Mayor Hibbard make a request of the head of the Harvard or Tufts medical school, on both, to have two or more experts, preferably men who have had charge of sanitarians where drug cures are made to make a special investigation of the conditions and report a plan, not only for preventing the growth, at least at Deer Island, of the practice, but of possibly curing such inmates as are now suffering from the habit.

MRS. M. T. SCOTT

Seeks Re-Election as Head of D. A. R.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Scouting a two-term ambition on the part of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, who was last year elected to the presidency of the D. A. R., leaders of the large opposition to her administration are in the field with plans to combat that ambition.

The announcement that Mrs. Scott will run again in the spring of 1911 is said to have been conveyed to intimate friends among her supporters.

The "insurgents," whose candidate, Mrs. William Cumming Story of New York city, had only eight votes less than Mrs. Scott at the election last year, are openly charging that Mrs. Scott is pledging not to seek re-election.

It is claimed, however, that the Illinois state organization to which she belongs has from the first insisted that it would put Mrs. Scott in the field a second time.

Mrs. Scott, who has engaged a suite of rooms for the winter at the Arlington, has decided to spend the season in Washington and will entertain in lavish style between now and April, the month set for the annual continental congress.

She is a woman of wealth and influential social connections, possessed of an attractive personality, and it is said wishes her administration to be brilliant socially as was that of Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks.

Buy some article of furniture.

Pittsburg

A through electric lighted sleeping car to Pittsburg

Lv. Boston . 11:30 a.m.
" Worcester 12:40 p.m.
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Equally good service via same train to the Southwest, arriving

Cincinnati . 7:30 a.m.
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Call on local agents for information on rates, routes, railroad tickets and sleeping-car accommodations, or address

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Holiday Gift

Buy some article of furniture.

As a suggestion—For your wife a new

DESK

In all woods.

\$5 to \$40

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NEW CITY HALL
For New York Will Cost
\$7,500,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Plans for the \$7,500,000 twenty-five story municipal building, 550 feet high, were approved by the board of estimate yesterday, and contracts for the work will be let within a few days.

This great structure, which will house most of the city departments will be erected near the Brooklyn bridge, and will have 650,000 feet of floor space.

COMMITTEE ON SEWERS

The committee on sewers went a-vowing yesterday afternoon and last night gave hearings on petitions for sewers in Moore and Marsh streets and Plummer avenue. Sewers in Moore and Marsh streets were voted but the Plummer avenue sewer was not voted.

AN ITCHING PALM

No Cure for It. Other Forms of Itching Preferable

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money kind. Even poison, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes in eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poison will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, scabies, split toes, piles, and seedy scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless life.

Poison comes in two-dollar jars, but fifty cents' worth will answer in curing any of the diseases mentioned. It can be had of any druggist. Failes & Burkinstaw and Carter & Sherburne make a specialty of it.

That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample, which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send free by mail. In plain wrapper, to anyone who will write for it.

PANIC STRICKEN

Families Scared by Explosion of Dynamite

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dynamite dropped down the chimney wrecked the flat of Abraham Einrich in East 13th street last night, and falling debris cut him severely about the head. His wife, with an infant in her arms, was hurled across the room, but neither was badly hurt. Twenty-five families in the building were panic stricken and fled to the street. The owner of the tenement who has been receiving "Black Hand" letters, is supposed to have been the object of the attack.

WESTFORD MAN INJURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

John Abbott of Westford was seriously injured in Lexington on Saturday afternoon as the result of an automobile in which he was riding being overturned. He received a broken collarbone, a cut on the back of the head and several bruises.

Mr. Abbott was riding with Walter Carl in the latter's automobile, a Pope-Hartford, when the accident occurred. The car was bowling along the state road between Concord and Arlington. When a sharp corner was reached Mr. Carl applied the brakes in order to slow down, that he might negotiate the curve, but the brakes refused to work, the car skidded and turned turtle threw the occupants out.

Mr. Carl escaped injury, but Mr. Abbott was not so fortunate. The car was assisted to a house nearby and a doctor was called.

Another machine was secured and both young men were taken to Mr. Abbott's house. Mr. Abbott is now resting comfortably.

THE LEWISOHN ESTATE

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—The estate of the late Leonard Lewisohn of New York was not in any way involved in the Old Dominion Co. litigation in this state, as stated in a despatch sent from this city on Saturday, when executions amounting to \$2,182,530 were issued by the supreme court against Albert S. Bigelow of Boston and in favor of tax

holders.

The late Mr. Lewisohn and Mr. Bigelow were partners in organizing the Old Dominion Co. and some time ago the company brought suit to recover alleged profits obtained without the knowledge of other officials. Mr. Lewisohn was not sued in this state but in New York and when the case was carried to Washington he won. This litigation was distinct from that recently disposed of by the supreme court of this state. It is understood that Mr. Bigelow will appeal to the supreme court of the United States.

WON FIRST PRIZE

BALTIMORE, N. C., Nov. 30.—The Alage of the Continental trials was finished here yesterday, the winner of first prize being Cowley's Pride, English setter, owned by U. H. Fleischmann of New York, handled by C. H. Babcock of New Bedford, Mass.

The conditions under which the dogs ran were very trying, for it was very dry and while there are plenty of birds on the grounds, it was difficult for the dogs to handle them.

SPITTING NUISANCE

Hawking and Spitting is Caused by Catarrh Germs

If the local authorities want to stop the disgusting habit of spitting mucus on the sidewalks, they had better instruct the people as to the best method of killing the catarrh germs and curing catarrh.

You can easily tell by reading the symptoms below whether you have catarrh or not:

Offensive breath, frequent sneezing, discharge from nose, stoppage of nose, huskiness of the voice, tickling in throat, droppings in throat, a cough, pain in chest, loss of strength, varicose appetite, spasms of coughing, low spirits at times, raising of mucus, difficulty in breathing, loss of vital force. Carter & Sherburne have a sensible remedy (money back if it fails) for catarrh, called Myoneal, which is a vaporized oil so antiseptic that when it is breathed over the inflamed and germ-infested membrane, it kills all germs life and cures catarrh.

The price, including hard rubber in holder, is only \$1.00, and money back if it doesn't cure. Extra bottles, 50 cents.

"I have tried almost every enema cure on the market without benefit. Have been using Myoneal for one week and feel like a new man already." Wm. V. Goode, Newark, Ohio, June 21.

COMMITTEE ON SEWERS

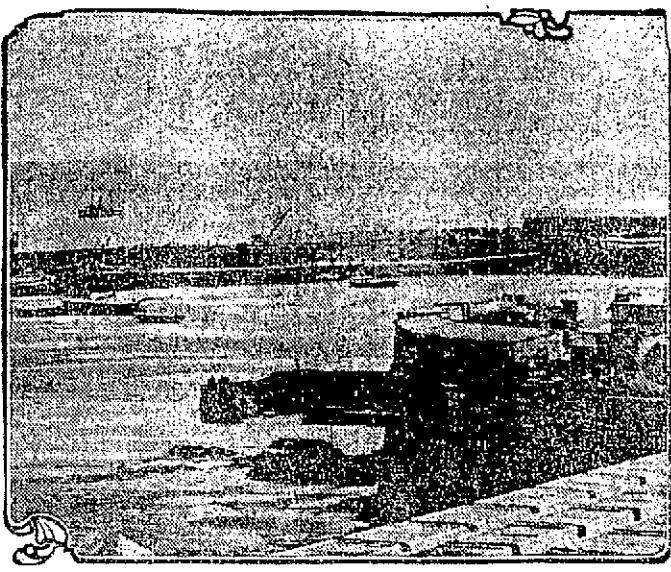
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Cures Indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach disease or money back. Large box of tablets 60 cents. Druggists in all towns

PORT OF SANTA CRUZ, TENERIFE, MENACED BY STREAMS OF LAVA



DIED ON ISLAND

Charles Conway Succumbed to Exposure

Charles Conway, aged 52 years, and John Cosgrove went boat riding on the Shawsheen river late Saturday night after an evening in Lowell, and Conway's dead body was found on a small island in the river on Sunday morning, while Cosgrove is at his home in East Tewksbury. In a critical condition as the result of exposure.

The news of the finding of the body, probably on account of the condition of Cosgrove, did not become generally known until yesterday afternoon, when Undertaker Frank Farmer removed it to the morgue.

As far as can be learned the two men who were employed on the farm of Wallace Burt in East Tewksbury came to Lowell and spent the evening here leaving the city about 10:30 o'clock. Upon arriving in Tewksbury they decided to take a boat ride on the Shaw-

sheen river. On the farm of Groves Clark they found a frail skin and started off in it. They had not gone far when Conway fell overboard. Cosgrove, however, succeeded in getting him back into the boat and he then rowed to a little island where they got out and Cosgrove lit a fire. Conway was thoroughly chilled, but assured his companion that he would be all right in a short time. Both sat around the fire and soon fell asleep, and Cosgrove did not awaken until 10 o'clock Sunday morning. He attempted to arouse his companion, whom he believed to be sleeping, and after several unsuccessful attempts he attracted the attention of people in the vicinity, who went over to the island to find that Conway was dead. The body was then removed to the opposite shore, where it remained until the arrival of the undertaker. Although Conway died from exposure, the body was scorched in several places from contact with the fire. Cosgrove went to his home, where he is recovering.

Cosgrove has relatives in St. John, N. B., Ballardvale and Somerville. The body is being held to await word from relatives.

Lowell, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1909.

A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE.

The Book Store

Opens again more attractive to book buyers than ever before, for besides our usual far-the-largest-collection-in-this-section, the great values which we offer in editions de luxe of the best known authors are magnets which would draw any one with a book thought to our counters. You know we advise the Book purchases to be made early.

PALMER STREET

CENTRE AISLE

Our November Under-the-Regular Price Sale

In our Great Bargain Basement finishes today. We have given you for the four days some of the greatest values in our store history, and the sales sheets show us that you have taken good advantage of them. Today's offerings are wonderful in their worth.

Children's Winter Bonnets, nicely trimmed, 25c to 50c value.

November Sale Only 15c Each

Ladies' Neckwear—Jabots, Stocks and Dutch Collars, 15c and 25c quality.

November Sale 5c Each

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, 50c and \$1.00 value.

November Sale 10c Each

Children's Trimmed Hats, 25c and 50c value.

November Sale 10c Each

Children's Rompers, made of good fine chambray gingham, 35c value.

November Sale 19c

Corset Cover Embroideries, good, fine quality, 18 inches wide, 25c value.

November Sale Only 12 1/2c Yard

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy, 5c value.

November Sale Only 3c Each

Best Cretonne in remnants, fancy weaves, all new colorings and a good assortment of patterns, 12 1/2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

Wool Suiting, 27 inches wide, heavy material for winter coats, suits and pants, 39c value.

November Sale 15c Yard

Very fine Percale, light and dark colors, fine quality, 30 inches wide, 16c value.

November Sale Only 6 1/2c Yard

40 inch wide white Laces for aprons, etc., 10c value.

November Sale 7c Yard

Yard wide Art Sateen, very handsome designs, 12 1/2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

Yard wide Percale, light and dark percale, very fine quality, fast colors for house dresses and wrappers, 10c value.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

THE PROBATION OFFICER'S WORK

The showing made by Probation Officer Slattery in his report for the year gives some indication of the vast amount of good he is doing in his work to reform the people committed to his care on account of drunkenness or other offences.

Mr. Slattery has always entered into his work with a great deal of earnestness, and through his appeals for reform many hundreds have returned to the path of honor, decency and rectitude. Mr. Slattery has our congratulations on the success of his work.

WHEN ROOSEVELT RETURNS.

The country has been somewhat lonely since ex-President Roosevelt started for Africa. The people have missed his long-winded discussions on trusts and other things; how the former could be divided into good and bad, and the latter so far as they operate for evil attributed to the democratic party.

Roosevelt has had a unique experience since he left the United States, and no doubt when he returns he will be Africanized to the extent that he will not go into mourning if he finds "his policies dead and buried." They are at present in a fit condition to be submitted to the taxidermist so that they can be preserved in a museum with the animal curiosities he brings from Africa.

MEEHAN A MAN FOR WHOM ALL CAN VOTE.

There is no reason why any citizen of Lowell should not vote for John F. Meehan for mayor. It is true he is the democratic nominee, but he declares himself, first and foremost, for good government for all the people. If republicans want such government, here is their chance to bring about the change. In all his public and private utterances in his legislative record, as well as in his anti-caucus campaign, Mr. Meehan seemed to put "duty" above all else, and already he has so far expressed his intention as to say that his chief duty, if elected mayor, will be to give the people better municipal government than they now have. Hence it is, that the election of Mr. Meehan is likely to bring about some of the most important changes the people have sought for many years in the administration of affairs at city hall.

LOWELL SHOULD WAKE UP.

The city of Lawrence is to have another great woolen mill. How is it that we cannot induce the American Woolen company to locate some of its big mills in Lowell? Is it because the cotton mills control the best sites and practically the entire water power?

By the way, has any official of our city or any public body approached the American Woolen company on this point? During the past year we have given our attention mainly to running political wind mills which bring very poor returns to the people.

Lawrence is now experiencing a boom that may soon bring her up to the status of Lowell, with industries more stable and more prosperous.

Is it not time for Lowell to wake up and give her attention to something more substantial and more essential to her welfare than the empty political bugaboos with which she has been engaged during the past year?

TO AVERT A TARIFF WAR.

Congressman Mann, from Illinois, purposes at the coming session of congress to introduce a bill to amend the present tariff law so as to avert a tariff war with Canada.

It remains to be seen whether Speaker Cannon will throw the bill in the waste basket or whether the standpatters will contrive to defeat the measure in the interest of the trusts.

Mr. Mann's bills are aimed mainly at the paper and wood pulp schedules. This reopening of the tariff discussion will give the insurgent republicans an opportunity to expose the injustice of the law and the unprincipled course by which it was forced through congress.

The democrats will naturally welcome the opportunity to join hands with the "insurgents" on this matter and thus, whether successful or not, pave the way for victorious elections next fall.

The speaker, however, will endeavor to buy off certain democrats by concessions, but the man who thus sells out to the republican czar will have to answer to his constituents for his recreancy.

FOR EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

Perhaps it is not too early to suggest the advisability of early Christmas shopping. To be sure there are other events on the tapis in the meantime, and among them are the raising of a big Y. M. C. A. campaign fund, the election of a democratic mayor and a few other things of lesser importance.

But in spite of all these let the young man who intends to purchase a present for his best girl, get a line on what she would like and if at all compatible with the resources of his pocketbook, buy the present now.

To the girls who have to make a variety of presents, let us say that it is a good plan to get a piece of paper, jot down the names of the people to whom you are to give presents with the article in each case, and if these be not perishable, purchase now. Early shopping will benefit not only yourself but the girl or the young man behind the counter.

There are people who can never make up their minds what they are going to buy or to whom they will give presents until the last day, and then when they go the rounds of the stores, they find that they cannot get what they want and they have to buy something they don't want.

Why not adopt the habit of doing your Christmas shopping early? It ensures satisfaction for yourself and the recipient of the gift, while it will help to relieve the store clerks of the overwhelming rush in which they are overworked so that for them Christmas brings only fatigue and disappointment.

SEEN AND HEARD

These are the days of turkey hash and turkey soup.

You can save a lot of time by being sure where you want to go before starting.

The first time a girl is disappointed in love, she imagines she has nothing left to live for.

A woman's idea of a tactful man is one who is able to increase the admiration she has for herself.

An office seeker's love for his country is a good deal like that of a titled foreigner for an American heiress.

You can tell a man who has a good opinion of himself by the way he has a poor opinion of others.

A woman who runs a house filled with a big family earns a lot of money, but she never gets it.

A woman wants to get into society so she can pretend she was always there.

The average man thinks a latchkey is more important than the Ten Commandments.

The farther a man can travel away from his family the more they can fool themselves about how homesick he is.

Evil doesn't have to carry any insurance on itself for it can come out of fire, famine and plague stronger than it went in.

GETTING THE NEWS

How went the game, old friend? It seems

I'm sadly out of plumb;

I've just waked up from other dreams.

My brain is rather numb.

I know my mind is somewhat weak,

My body is the same.

'Tis quite a task for me to speak.

But, say, how went the game?

I know they walked upon my face

Until 'tis badly hacked.

My neck's completely out of place.

And fourteen ribs are cracked;

I know their fullback broke my nose—

I can't recall his name!

I'm sure that eye I gave him shows:

And, say, how went the game?

Oh, let me hear the story now;

Speak up, I pray you, friend.

Just sit you down and tell me how

We played it at the end.

We won! That works a wondrous

spell,

Though I am sick and lame,

I'll have no trouble getting well,

Since we have won the game!

Chicago News.

A writer who says he has seen frequent mention in the papers recently of the disease known as Pellagra, wants to know the nature of it.

Pellagra is a disease said to be caused by a germ found in corn that has been stored long enough to develop a mould. The disease is said to be prevalent in southern Europe, but recently has been discovered in this country.

The hookworm, found in certain sections of the south, is said to be the cause of a disease one of those symptoms is profound laziness. Dr. Stiles, who discovered the worm, says that persons who go barefoot a great deal may become infected with the worm through the soles of the feet. The worms congregate in the intestines and, besides being lazy, the sufferers are unnaturally hungry. The hookworm is believed to be the cause of the clay eating habit among the poorer classes of the south. The remedy is found in the use of one of the salts and a germicide.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

With more than 1500 "Dukes" in attendance, the largest college fraternity dinner ever held will be given for Commander Robert E. Peary on Saturday, Dec. 18, at the Hotel Astor by his brothers in Delta Kappa Upsilon. A. Barton Hepburn will preside. The dinner is in charge of the following committee: James W. Curtis (Yale), chairman; Allan H. A. Bradley (Dartmouth); William Clifford Moore (Yale); Scott Stewart (Western Reserve); George R. Walker (Bow-

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PRESIDENT ZELAYA WOMAN ON TRIAL

Makes Conditional Offer of Retirement From Office She is Charged With Murdering Her Husband

WASHINGTON. Nov. 30.—President Zelaya has made overtures to the revolutionists intimating his willingness to retire from the presidency of Nicaragua provided the congress be allowed to select a provisional president in his stead.

This news comes from the United States consulate at Bluefields and was sent late Sunday night.

It was further said that the belligerent rights by the central government or by foreign powers in no way involves the recognition of the rebellious government as a separate political organization, but only implies that the laws of war are to prevail in the military operations undertaken for the purpose of suppressing the rebellion, and restoring the supremacy of the national government.

While the facts are not quite so clear as to the Nicaraguan situation it is understood that a state of armed insurrection arose in Nicaragua which had reached the stage of actual war, if otherwise will be based on this theory.

A CITY EMPLOYEE ANOTHER ARREST

Asks That His Salary be Cut

NEW YORK. Nov. 30.—Comptroller Metz was surprised yesterday by the receipt of a request from an employee of the city that his salary of \$1500 a year be reduced. Jacinto Costa, of 1640 East Twelfth street, Brooklyn, made the proposition to the comptroller in a letter dated on Saturday.

He has served as an assistant corporation counsel in the bureau of street openings in Brooklyn since 1897. Last year he brought a suit for the recovery of \$2000 in damages against John P. Dunn, the head of the bureau, for an alleged statement that he should be dismissed from the bureau for incompetency.

In his letter to Metz, Costa says: "I believe that my salary should be reduced from 10 to 15 per cent, although it is true that my duties may be regarded as important, because I pass on the legality of matters involving more than \$8,000,000 annually of the city's money."

Costa suggests a wholesale reduction of salaries "in the various departments, not excluding the comptroller's office," and declares that there are many men in the finance department receiving \$6000 or \$8000 a year "who do not give services which, at a liberal appraisal, could be valued at one-tenth of that amount."

MANY INJURED

Express Train Jumped the Tracks

PITTSBURG. Nov. 30.—More than a dozen persons were injured, a number seriously, when the Uniontown and Pittsburg express No. 101, on the Pennsylvania railroad left the rails today at Manor Pa., near here, and ran into a ditch. One passenger, the baggage master and mail clerk are perhaps fatally hurt. The train consisted of a baggage car, mail car, three coaches and a parlor car. The engine remained on the rails intact. The exact cause of the wreck is not known.

JOS. F. DONOHUE

Elected President of the Bowling Congress

BOSTON. Nov. 30.—J. F. Donohue of Lowell, was last night elected president of the National Duck and Candle Pin Bowling congress at its annual meeting at the American house. The remaining officers were elected as follows: Vice president, George Littlefield, Boston; secretary, John J. Donovan, Boston; treasurer, William Thomas, Lynn. On the board of directors, in addition to the officers were added, John J. Mousey of Worcester; William Vickers, Fred S. Rock of Providence, R. L.; Fred S. Pine, and Howard B. Woodward of Portland, Me.; Hugh Williams, of Nashua, N. H.; Edward McDonald of Springfield, and A. C. Deane, of Lawrence.

INTERNATIONAL SINGLES. A. E. Wilding, New Zealand, beat Maurice McLaughlin, United States, 3-6, 8-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Norman E. Brooks, Victoria, beat Melvin Long, United States, 6-4, 7-5, 6-3.

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WORD TO WORDS—I am giving the public a better class of work, quick in service and I have broken the high prices on glasses. No matter how they are made and filled or given your case up, come to me and I will improve your vision if there is any vision left. I will give you a most thorough examination FREE OF CHARGE.

GLASSES \$1.00 AND UP.

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TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

ENGINEERS MET

And Were Addressed by
National Officers

A mass meeting of engineers was held last evening at 32 Middle street under the auspices of local 352 Steam Engineers' union for the purpose of interesting engineers not affiliated with the union in its aims and purposes. There was a large gathering and a most interesting evening was enjoyed.

The meeting was presided over by Arthur Dethridge, international vice-president of the state branch. He gave a short address and others who were heard were: Dennis J. Healey of the Leather Workers' union, Michael Lee, business agent of the Carpenters union of this city; William R. Whalen, president of local 16 of Boston, Arthur M. Huddel of the state branch, and others.

The out-of-town men were greatly surprised at the excellence of the fittings of Engineers hall, and the equipment which has been set up to teach the younger members all the intricacies of boilers and engines. A complete boiler, set up and piped exactly as the state law requires, and three different types of engines, are to be found in the room.

If a member of the union takes a position where a new type of boiler or engine is found, he reports the same to the union, and is taught the use of the new engine. This tends to make an engineer more useful to the company for which he works, and increases his efficiency to a remarkable degree.

The union has five different types of pumps, steam traps and safety valves, which must be thoroughly understood before an applicant is granted a license by the state board.

In addition, the union holds during the winter, educational lectures by expert engineers, all of which tend to increase the working efficiency of the local men as individuals.

Refreshments were served during the evening. There are 135 members and the officers hope to increase the number to 250.

LOCAL NEWS

Tobin's Printery, Associate Building, DANCE, O. U. A. M., TONIGHT. When placing insurance consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan building. Tel. Coughs cured with Lung Kyan—never fails. Get a bottle from the drug store.

TEXTILE SCHOOL NOTES

The athletic council held a meeting lately and awarded the football men their Ts for the season of 1909. The following men were given their letters: R. C. Jefferson, H. G. Michelson, F. D. Manning, W. L. Keough, P. J. Burnham, H. H. Harrison, F. T. Smith, G. A. Haslett, G. B. Wise, E. K. Hale, H. E. Heath, J. A. Middleton, C. J. Zobel, H. C. Crane, R. S. Kelsey, S. T. McCleary, M. J. Walsh, and J. C. Standish.

HOUSE OF PRAYER

The annual parish meeting of the House of Prayer was held last evening and the following officers were elected for the coming year: Senior warden, C. A. St. Onge; junior warden, L. H. Maddocks; treasurer, Harvey A. Lafleur; clerk, F. E. Sladen; vestrymen, A. W. Sherman, E. E. Adams, M. V. Simms, J. A. Reinick, James W. Chambers. The rector is Rev. Eugene deF. Head, Jr.

JAPANESE STEAMER FOUNDRED

DARHEN, Manchuria, Nov. 30.—A storm has raged over Korea bay since Sunday. The Japanese steamer Japon Maru foundered off Yontangpo, Korea, at the mouth of the Yalu river.

GLADSTONE A. C.

Tuesday, Dec. 7, Associate Hall
JOE THOMAS OF CALIFORNIA

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Jack O'Hare vs. Billy Clinton and
Young Boyle vs. Young Ross

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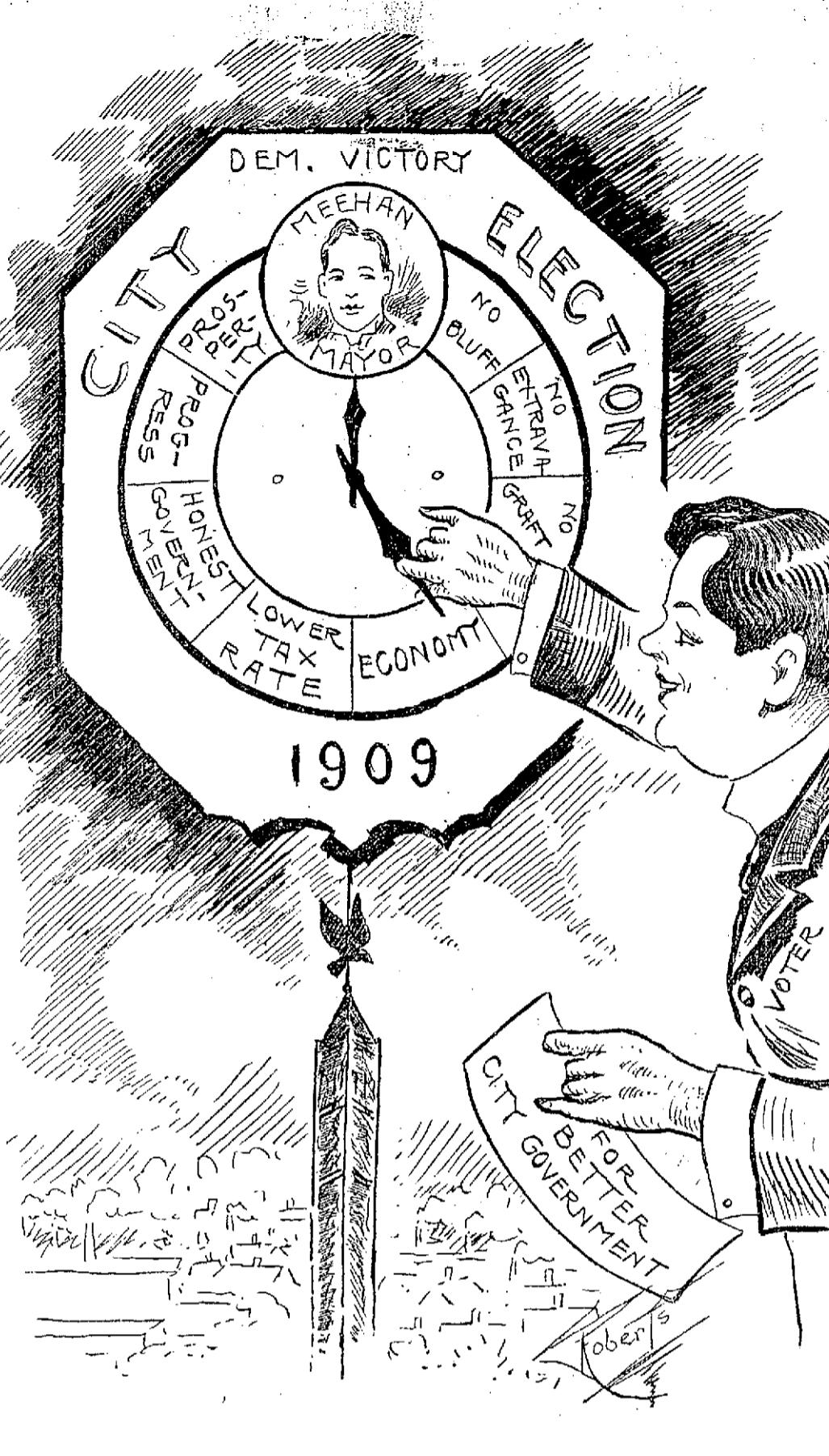
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Citizens, Help to Move the Hand Around

MAY BE MURDER

Body of a Man Was Found
in the Woods

PATTEN, Me., Nov. 30.—Evidence that Alphonse Cyr, the New Brunswick young lumberman whose body was found in the woods 40 miles from here with a bullet wound through the breast, was murdered for a considerable sum of money he was supposed to have just received from his employer, B. W. Howe, the lumberman for whom Cyr worked at Blackbrook farm, is accumulating and will be thoroughly investigated at the inquest to be held Thursday afternoon. The authorities today believed there was every indication of murder, but they had found no clue on which to base an arrest. A jury has been empaneled and every effort is being made to clear up the mixed circumstances of the case.

The rifle Cyr carried when he left camp, presumably with the intention of coming to this town to cash the order he had just received in lieu of money for his services through the summer, had not been found, although diligent search was being made for it and must have been removed by a second party.

The bullet taken from the body by Medical Examiner Ford, of Milne, assisted by Dr. William Hatherway of Milne, far from a .44 calibre rifle, the same calibre was of Cyr's rifle, but the wound was of such a character it is absolutely impossible that it could have been self-inflicted, according to the authorities and after receiving it Cyr must have dropped in his tracks.

The chief evidence showing robbery as a motive for murder was the finding of Cyr's pay order, which had been partly withdrawn from a pocket and left there when it was discovered that he had been given an order instead of obtaining a living.

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The bullet entered the right side of the breast, was deflected and passed down the right side of the body, lodging near the hip. The bone by which it was deflected was bent in so that it pierced the right auricle of the heart and caused almost instantaneous death.

Cyr's home had been given as Grand Falls, N. B., but Coroner Martin of

refuse to take part in any funeral in which he participates. The Catholic church leaves the whole matter of the funerals of parishioners to the priests of the parish with the rule that the Catholic service shall be the only service over the body.

By special permission the Grand Army, the Sons of Veterans and similar bodies are allowed to do military

Facts About Hall & Lyon Co.

Photo Supply Department



THE Photographic Supply Department of the Hall & Lyon Company is complete in every branch, and thought has been given to meet economically the

want of every amateur photographer. The developing and printing department, one of the largest in this country, is in charge of an expert. The solutions used are prepared in their own laboratory by their own chemist. Enlargements are made by artists skilled in this particular branch of the work. Instructions and advice are given free by experienced operators in the use of cameras, in the process of developing, or in any other branch of amateur photography. All the leading makes of Cameras, Plates, Films, Plate Holders, Tripods and Developing Machines are carried in stock, all at lowest prices.

Although Mr. Flaherty, who was one of Manchester's pioneer residents and who lost a leg in the engagement at Port Hudson, was not a member of a Grand Army post, his family had arranged for a military funeral. The Rev. Daniel Gorman, a curate at St. Anne's Catholic church, protested about the presence of Capt. Challis, and the firing squad withdrew.

Mr. Lyons gave out a statement last night in which he said: "Let there be my misunderstanding. I wish to say that Mr. Gorman objected to the firing of guns by the Sons of Veterans simply because Mr. Challis was a member of the firing squad. I requested him to do this for personal reasons."

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NIGHT EDITION FOR SUPPLY CHIEF

Foye Has Support of Defeated Candidates

that the democratic candidates for purchasing agent have no sores as the result of the caucuses is evidenced by the following letters which are self-explanatory:

McElhohn to Foye
Lowell, Mass., Nov. 26, 1909.

Mr. Edward H. Foye,
Lowell, Mass.

Dear Mr. Foye:

Accept my heartiest congratulations on your splendid victory at the caucuses on Tuesday. I assure you that the good feeling which existed during the campaign for the nomination is still the same and you may count on my support in the coming election.

With the very best wishes for your success on election day, I am,

Very sincerely yours,
Wm. H. McElhohn.

Mr. Foye's Reply
Lowell, Nov. 27.

My Dear William:
Your letter of congratulation at hand—with expressions of assurance

for my success—for which I am grateful. Thanking you.

I am sincerely,
Edward H. Foye.

Fitzgerald to Foye
Lowell, Nov. 28, '09.

Friend Ed.:
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STRIKE ORDER ISSUED

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 30.—According to President Hawley of the Switchmen's union, a strike order to all railroads from Lake Superior to the Pacific coast has been issued to take effect at six o'clock this evening unless countermanded before that time.

VOTES RECOUNTED

Work Completed by the Registrars This Noon

The recount of democratic ballots cast in the recent primaries for mayor, aldermen, etc., was concluded about 1 o'clock today. The result of the recount for mayor was the most important. It was asked for by Mr. O'Donnell. On the face of the original returns Mr. Crowley had a lead of 4 votes over Mr. O'Donnell and the recount gives Mr. Crowley a lead of 32 votes. The result of the recount, losses and gains, was as follows: For mayor—Crowley gained 3, O'Donnell lost 25, Daley gained 1, Muloney gained 6, and Mehan remained the same.

There were several changes in the count for aldermen but not of suffi-

cient importance to affect their standing.

There was no change in the ward four school committee.

Ward five city committee:

John McCullough, Christopher J.

Hagan and William H. Conway, who

were elected under the original re-

turns, were counted out by the board

of registrars, and Augustus P. Slat-

ter, John C. Martin, Jr., and John F.

Gleason were counted in.

The gains and losses were as fol-

lows:

Losses—Conley 1, Mulligan 3, Carr 1,

Sullivan 1, O'Donnell 2, Daley 3,

Gains—McCullough 2, McCrann 3,

Gatagan 2, Ball 3, Martin 6, Gleason

8, Guthrie 3, McNamara 3, Hagan 1,

Welch 9, Conway 2, Muldoon 4, Slat-

ter 20.

SCENE OF CRIME

LABOR LEADERS

Was Visited by the Harmon Jury

CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 30.—The jury completed late yesterday to try James H. Harmon, Jr., of Somerville for the murder of Maud Hartley in this city last December, today was taken to the scene of the crime. The trip was made in a special trolley car.

David P. Muloney, son of Police Officer Muloney, has entered Villanova college.

COULD HARDLY HEAR

Senses of Taste and Smell were Also Greatly Impaired

"I was afflicted with catarrh," writes Eugene Forbes, Lebanon, Kansas. "I took several different medicines, giving each trial, but grew worse until I could hardly hear, taste or smell. I was about to give up in despair, but concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After taking three bottles of this medicine I was cured but decided to take two more, and have not had any return of the disease."

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects radical and permanent cure of catarrh.

Get it today. In usual liquid form or tablets called Sarsaparilla. 100 doses

EVENING SCHOOL

Several Teachers Have Been Dropped

The evening school attendance continues to shrink. Five teachers were dismissed last week and others will be dismissed this week or next. It will be remembered that the attendance at the beginning of the year, in the elementary evening schools, was 250 or 300 below last year and this was due to the enactment of a new law which went into effect the first of the present year.

Heretofore it was compulsory for those who could not read or write to attend the evening school and the age limit was set at 21. The new law sets the age limit at 18 and now the illiterate who is 18 years or over and who does not care to learn to read or write is free to stay away from evening school. The new law is not a very popular one, especially in mill cities.

The attendance at the evening high school started out stronger this year than last and the attendance is holding out well. The evening drawing school too is being well attended and the work that is being done there, especially in the art department, is productive of many favorable comments. The variety of the work being done there is almost astonishing.

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BUCKLEY LOST

BY A SCORE OF 75 TO 25 LAST EVENING

One of the most interesting pool matches of the season was held last night in the rooms of the Lowell Military band. James Buckley, the champion, lost his title when Louis Weller defeated him by a great margin. The game was a long one and many difficulties were made by both men. Although Buckley was down early hard and the score was 75 to 25, Weller is now the champion and another game will be played next week.

After the game refreshments were served. Robert Rogers spoke on spiritualism. John Gibson's score keeper as in all previous games.

Buckley claims to have had an night, but the crowd greeted the new champion with great cheers. There were about 200 present to witness the game.

REDUCED IN RANK

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—As a result of an investigation of shortages from wine casks and other packages at the Baltimore customs house, a shake-up in that end of the service was announced today. The treasury department approved the reduction of John R. Montgomery, superintendent of the bonded warehouses, to a clerkship. Thomas R. Arnold, a clerk of class four, is promoted to succeed Montgomery, and some other changes are made.

BATTLESHIPS DEPART

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Departure of the battleship detachment which had been in the Brooklyn navy yard since the Hudson-Fulton celebration continued today. The battleship Connecticut cleared the harbor in the early afternoon followed soon after by the Nebraska. The gunboat Yankton was another departing war craft. The vessels are bound for the fleet rendezvous at Hampton Roads.

GONE TO HAMPTON ROADS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—The battleships Kansas and Georgia left the navy yard today for Hampton Roads, where they will join the other ships of the Atlantic fleet for the winter maneuvers in southern waters. Rear Adm. Edwin Wright, who will be aide for the operations of the fleet under the new order of things to be put in force in the navy tomorrow, is on board the Georgia.

TO LEAVE CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Nov. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller will leave Cleveland for New York late this afternoon. They will spend the early winter at their city residence in New York.

DON'T GRUNT DO YOUR STUNT

Help Keep the Clock Hands Moving

The Lowell Electric Light Corp.
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Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGNA UNITED PARTY

Fund for the New Building is Growing Rapidly

Subscriptions Are Beyond the Expectations of the Promoters

—Generous Offer Made by Mr. Shedd—One Half the Amount Needed Has Been Raised Already

If any doubt had existed as to whether the democratic party is united in this campaign for mayor or not it should be removed by the interview printed below which a reporter of the Sun had with Hon. James B. Casey, this morning, at the office of the Ideal Comb company in Ayer City.

Since the caucuses the supporters of the republican candidate have been shouting that the democrats were not united and that Mr. Casey and his friends would not support Mr. Mehan. Believing that the best way to put an end to such talk was to interview Mr. Casey himself a reporter of the Sun asked the former mayor this morning what his attitude was in the coming campaign.

The ex-mayor's answer was both prompt and frank and was as follows:

There is only one attitude that I will assume in this campaign, and that is to accord to the democratic candidate for mayor my earnest and loyal support, with the hope that he will be successful at the polls election day.

I recognize that whatever political success I have achieved in this city is the foundation for such success as laid by the democratic party, and therefore, I shall always feel obligated to support its nominee for mayor, whoever he may be.

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In further reply to your question as to my attitude, I will say that if the party candidate feel that I can be of any assistance upon the stump I am at their service, and I sincerely hope that Mr. Mehan will be the next mayor of Lowell.

EIGHT MEN IMPRISONED

CHARLES S. WARD
The Great Y. M. C. A. Building Fund Promoter

\$5,198

Business Men's Committee, Samuel H. Thompson, Chairman:

Team No. 00—C. A. Brown, capt. Team No. 01—F. C. Church, capt. Team No. 02—F. E. Dunbar, capt. Team No. 03—A. L. Gray, capt. Team No. 04—J. A. Hunnewell, capt. Team No. 05—N. G. Norcross, capt. Team No. 06—J. J. Pickman, capt. Team No. 07—C. B. Redway, capt. Team No. 08—J. A. Stevens, capt. Team No. 09—L. H. Wiggin, capt.

gather with other organizations has been taking care of the young men of this city, and I don't know of any other feature so grand, and so noble in helping it as this movement of the Y. M. C. A. I tell you, gentlemen, it is God's work. It is a noble work, and time and time again have we needed your aid and assistance. What an addition to the temperance sentiment of Lowell will this great Y. M. C. A. be!

It will be immeasurable! You can't imagine what it will be. And I hope God will bless you in your work and give us the institution that is so sadly needed here in Lowell for the young men, yes and the old men too. It reminds me of a story. An Irishman was asked one day what part of the old country he came from. He said, "Don't be talking about that. There is no more north, nor east, nor west part of Ireland. We're all one and it is Ireland." We are not Yankees, we are not French, we are not English, we are citizens of Lowell, American citizens, and that is why we want this right here. For seventeen years in charge of the reading room and ten years ever yonder, some work certainly has been done to the young men and for the young man, without this great adjunct which will be so strong. It has helped in the past. And willingly have we received the aid and the assistance of the members of the Y. M. C. A. I remember thirty years ago in Ayer's, when I was assistant foreman with Theodore Adams we got into a controversy and dispute about Methodists, Unitarians, Universalists, and Baptists. They were all death on Catholics. If you erect this building it will be a monument to the city of Lowell. We are many thousand strong and we love our city, one of the best today in the United States in proportion to its population. All I can do and say will be done. I know the time is short and I have spoken too long now, but I am glad to meet you and I wish good luck and God's speed to this movement for a new Y. M. C. A. building."

Yours truly,
Bright Sears & Co.

Referring to our conversation with you last week, in regard to the Young Men's Christian association, we shall be very glad to subscribe \$500 to the fund.

We understand that Mr. Charles N. Woodward, manager of our Lowell office, is one of the committees. If you have no objection, we should prefer to have the subscription come through his committee.

Wishing you the best of success in the undertaking, and with kind regards, we beg to remain,

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Probation Officer Slattery
Probation Officer Edward F. Slattery addressed the campagners at the noon meeting. He said in part:

"Mr. President and Gentlemen: I am glad to see so many here of my own age. This is an occasion where we certainly are all young men, regardless of age. I was really some-

time ago, I was all death on Catholics. If you erect this building it will be a monument to the city of Lowell. We are many thousand strong and we love our city, one of the best today in the United States in proportion to its population. All I can do and say will be done. I know the time is short and I have spoken too long now, but I am glad to meet you and I wish good luck and God's speed to this movement for a new Y. M. C. A. building."

On the other hand, its social and

INDEPENDENCE FOR PHIL

6 O'CLOCK

THE MEDICAL CASE For Alleged Larceny of Medicine Before Police Court

The case of Paul R. Fiedler, of Medway, charged with the larceny of 432 bottles of Mathews' Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil from Joseph Routher & Adolphe Delisle, of the Lowell Pharmacy, which was opened on Wednesday of last week, came up on continuance this morning in the police court.

According to the complaint it is alleged that the defendant entered into a transaction whereby he was to give them Gauvin's syrup in exchange for Mathew's syrup. The druggists claim that they carried out their part of the bargain, but that the defendant instead of giving them Gauvin's gave them a substitute. The alleged substitution was not known to Messrs. Routher & Delisle until Mr. J. A. E. Gauvin, the manufacturer of the original syrup, called their attention to the fact. Mr. Gauvin is the complainant in the case. Messrs. A. O. Hamel and William H. Bent appeared for the government and the defendant was represented by Lawyer W. J. Bradley of Lawrence.

Contention of Counsel
Before any witness had been called Lawyer Bradley stated to the court that he had tried to have the cause for the Commonwealth statu- tively act relied upon, but that the request had not been granted. Mr. Bradley then filed a motion with the court, which requested that the specific date be made known to him.

Lawyer Bent argued that it would be impossible to specify the date and amount of syrup taken. He said that he felt that all he was required to show was the time when the general agreement was made.

According to the complaint it is alleged that Fiedler and Routher & Delisle entered into an agreement where by the former was to supply the firm with Gauvin's Syrup and Routher & Delisle were to give him Mathew's Syrup. It is further alleged that while the agreement was made at one time, goods were exchanged from time to time in varying quantities. Referring to the complaint Lawyer Bradley said that he felt that he was entitled to know the dates of the alleged "from time to time" transactions.

Lawyer Bent insisted that it would be almost impossible to give the different dates on which the transactions were made, and all that was necessary was to stipulate the date of the first transaction.

Mr. Bradley said that there was no criminal act committed until the goods were delivered on agreement. Judge Hadley stated that he would rule that each delivery constituted a separate and distinct offense, but as the complainant included but one count, that the government should indicate the particular occasion when the offense was committed.

Mr. Bent said that all he claimed was one offense under the entire transaction.

THE STATE BOARD

To Act in the Ludlow Strike Situation

LUDLOW, Nov. 30.—In the expectation that the good offices of the Massachusetts state board of arbitration might assist in bringing about a settlement of the labor troubles at the bagging mills of the Ludlow Mfg. Associates both parties to the controversy, 1800 strikers on one hand and the management on the other, quietly awaited developments today.

Steps have been taken to relieve the suffering of the strikers, more than 300 of whom have been evicted from tenements owned by the company. Many of them are in a condition bordering on destitution. In Springfield today by permission of the mayor young women were stationed on the principal thoroughfares soliciting funds for the relief of the strikers. In addition the various labor unions are doing what they can to aid in the relief efforts.

It was announced today that there would be no more evictions before Thursday. The household goods of the strikers evicted Saturday remained piled in the streets today. The strikers claim that they are not financially able to move these goods and the selection have decided to allow them to remain in the streets for the present. Some of them are in streets just over the line in Springfield. The street department of that city has been requested to clear the streets, and it is believed that these articles will be placed in storage by the city.

All of the evicted persons have found shelter with friends.

Most of the evicted families do their cooking in the ranges which have been put out on the street and at most times armed groups surround the family fires.

It was expected that the members of the state board of arbitration would reach town later in the day. What the attitude of the company would be was a debatable question. The strikers

CHARGES PREFERRED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Following the making of charges affecting the administration of his office George Baldwin, special Chinese Inspector at Baltimore and Washington, has been suspended from office. A hearing will be given him at the department of commerce and labor in a few days.

HAD SEASICKNESS

NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 30.—The recruits on board the battleship Wisconsin who arrived here today suffered from seasickness yesterday during the voyage from Portsmouth, N. H. The battleship ran into a northwest gale off Newport early yesterday and was forced to reduce her speed but did not go below 12 knots an hour.

Additional recruits will be taken on board at the naval training station here after which the Wisconsin will sail to join the Atlantic fleet at Hampton Roads.

Ani-sen,

Baby's Medicine

Is prepared just for babies and for children who are little more than babies. It is composed of simple remedies, absolutely free from alcohol and narcotics, and is giving great satisfaction.

Try it for indigestion, sour stomach, biliousness, constipation, diarrhea, colic and worms, and all the disturbances attending infantile teething, hiccups, vomiting, overeating.

Get a bottle of it today.

Sold by all druggists at 25¢.

HIS CHILD WIFE

Had Young Man in Court for Neglect

JUDGE HADLEY CALLED THEM CHILDREN

AndAppealed to Officer Slattery to See If He Could Do Something to Harmonize Matters

"Here's a couple of children who went away and got married; see what you can do for them," said Judge Hadley to Probation Officer Slattery in police court this morning when he turned Arthur Desrosiers and the latter's wife, Gertrude, over to the man who is generally called upon to settle the majority of marital troubles that come before the local court.

The young couple are just out of their teens and have been married not less than seven months, but the wife complained that the husband did nothing toward supporting her and as a last resort she had to apply to the court for a warrant for his arrest.

Mrs. Desrosiers said that her husband never gave her any money, but a little later said, "He did give me ten cents on one occasion." Continuing,

she said: "He has been getting \$2 a day and after we got married he had a store book, but after having it for about a month and refusing to pay the man, even though he had the money in his pocket, the book was taken away from him and he was refused credit.

"On Saturdays and Sundays I have had something to eat, but it was a case of starve during the remainder of the week. When I complained to him of being cold, there being no wood or coal in the house, he has told me that I wished to keep warm that I could stay in bed."

Probation Officer Slattery, after giving the boyish husband a little sound advice, gave him a chance to do better, but in the event of not doing so Desrosiers was given to understand that he would find himself in jail.

A Wayward Man

Cornelius J. Donovan admitted that he was drunk when arrested yesterday. Patrolman Alexander McCloughrey informed the court that he had seen the young man drunk two and three times a week for some time past, and furthermore that when he was under the influence of liquor he went home and abused the members of the household and that his folks were anxious that he be sent away until he will be able to do better.

He was given a sentence to the Massachusetts reformatory to be Gauvin's syrup from Routher & Delisle.

J. A. E. Gauvin was recalled and testified that he sold his preparation for \$1.50 per dozen and that if a person purchased a carton of it that it would not be sold for less. Later, however, he admitted that he sold a gross of his syrup to the defendant for \$17.80 per gross, which is \$1.75 less per gross than witness first said he sold his preparation for.

John E. Bulmer said he wasn't drunk. Special Officer Briggs said that John was. Supt. Welch said John was on parole, and Judge Hadley said continue the case until tomorrow, which means that this afternoon Bulmer will be on his way back to Bridgewater.

Michael Sullivan and Alexander Savignac, drunks, were each fined \$6.

CHARLES S. SMITH DEAD

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Charles S. Smith, one of the last of the old line merchant princes who laid the foundations of the fortunes before the Civil War, died at his home today of pleurisy. He was 77 years old. Mr. Smith was born in Exeter, N. H., and began business as a boy of 13 in a wholesale dry goods house. He retired from active business in 1887, but remained a director of the Fifth Avenue bank of New York, of which he was one of the founders, the Fourth National, the Merchants National and the Greenwich Savings bank, and a member of the executive of the chamber of commerce.

CITY CONTRACTS

AWARDED AT THE PURCHASING AGENT'S OFFICE

The following contracts have been awarded at the office of the purchasing agent: For health department, 500 bushels of oats, Wilder & Wotton; barrel of turpentine for school department, Adams Hardware company; barrel linseed oil for school department, John C. Bennett; ten barrels of sugar for the city farm, Caleb Smith. Contracts for three cars of hay for the fire department and twenty-five cords of wood for the wood yard have not been decided yet.

FUNERAL NOTICES

KEEFE.—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen M. Tomlinson Keefe will take place Thursday morning from the home of her mother, 5 Madison place at 8 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of John F. Rogers.

RYAN.—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Ryan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 770 Westford street. A solemn mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. J. P. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

HENNESSEY.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hennesssey will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 40 By street, and at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REIDY.—The funeral of Thomas F. Reidy will take place Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, No. 69 Swift street, and at 9:30 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MALONEY.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Maloney will take place Wednesday morning at 9:15 o'clock at her home, No. 25 Clifford street, and at 10:15 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REGINER.—Died, Nov. 28th, in this city, Joseph C. Regnier, aged 64 years, at his late residence, 117 Grand street. He leaves his wife and three children, Emma, Joseph, and Francis. The funeral will be held at 10:30 o'clock from the same address.

RYAN.—Died, Nov. 28th, in this city, Mrs. Mary J. Ryan, aged 64 years, at her home, 29 Hastings st. Funeral service will be held from the residence of Charles H. McEntire, 821 Westford street, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice.

George W. Healey in charge.

Sold by all druggists at 25¢.

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GERMAN EMPEROR CITY SOLICITOR

Opened Reichstag With a Speech Says All Boarding Housekeepers Are Not Common Victuallers

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Emperor William opened the Reichstag today by personally reading the speech from the throne. The speech dealt largely with domestic legislation and contained the important announcement that the government had prepared a measure extending the sick benefit insurance to the working class, not heretofore protected, and creating a system of insurance for the dependent relatives of deceased workers.

Reference was made in the speech to the triple alliance.

"I nourish with confidence," said his majesty, "the hope that these allied empires will continue to act together, using their strength for the welfare of their peoples and the maintenance of peace."

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the appropriation bill for 1910.

"Our possessions over sea, in Africa and the South seas," said the emperor, "are developing well. The growth of their own incomes will relieve the empire considerably of colonial expenses. The increase in the working population in the wealth of the protected districts make reform in the legal system necessary."

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That all boarding house keepers are not common victuallers is the import of an opinion handed down by City Solicitor Duncan to the police board today. The opinion is as follows:

Office of City Solicitor, Lowell, Mass., Nov. 24, 1909.

Gentlemen—I have your letter of the 18th inst., containing several questions with regard to the construction of Section 1 of Chapter 102 of the Revised Laws, so far as it pertains to "common victuallers."

In order to "assume" to be a "common victualler" a person, it would appear, must hold himself out to the public as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers—to transient guests.

One who does this cannot carry on his business without actually being prepared to entertain such guests. All boarding house keepers are not "common victuallers," though some may be. It all depends upon the attitude they assume toward the public.

Many of them do not pretend to hold themselves out as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers, but reserve the right to serve only a limited number of persons or such persons as are agreeable to them and to

Respectfully submitted,
William W. Duncan,
City Solicitor.

GIVEN LIFE SENTENCES

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—A commutation of sentence from death to life imprisonment was the recommendation which the pardon committee of the executive council made today to Governor Draper in the cases of the two Chinamen, Harry Charles and Joe Guey, who were convicted with three others of murder in the first degree in connection with the Tong war in Chinatown, this city, in August, 1907. As the result of the death of four Chinamen in the shooting affray, ten Chinamen were tried for murder. One was released, one died during trial, three were granted new trials and three were executed as a result of the jury's verdict. Charles and Guey were reprieved pending investigation of the case by the pardon committee. Much evidence was offered at the hearing before that committee in support of allegations that the evidence at the trial was not trustworthy.

While the pardon committee was convinced of the unreliability of some of the evidence, it did not feel that it was sufficient to free the two Chinamen absolutely.

BATTERED BY SEAS

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 30.—Battered by mountainous seas in a north-west gale throughout last night, the German steamer Brewster, which struck on the inner diamond shoals Sunday night while bound from Kingston, Jamaica, to New York, had this morning changed her position to some extent. With the seas still breaking over her, making it impossible for wrecking expeditions to approach the stranded vessel, chances of saving the Brewster seemed early today to be growing less.

From the Hatteras shore the Brewster appeared full of water. The wrecking steamer Colley from Norfolk and the revenue cutter Onondaga were forced to shelter last night and were nowhere to be seen this morning.

SUDDEN DEATHS \$15,000 DAMAGE

May Have Been Due to Fire Occurred in Ayer This Morning

THOMASTON, Me., Nov. 30.—The suspicion that two sudden deaths in this town may have been due to poisoning has led the authorities to begin a thorough investigation. The brain and stomach of Fremont Newell, who died on Nov. 15, were sent today to Prof. Franklin C. Robinson of Bowdoin college for examination. Although Mr. Newell has long been sufferer from consumption and heart trouble, his death followed twenty minutes after he had been seized with convulsions.

The attending physician, Dr. Frederick James, detected symptoms of what resembled strychnine poisoning. Nine days later the infant child of Mr. James died suddenly. A coroner's jury investigated the child's death and returned a verdict that it was due to corrosive poison feloniously administered but did not name any person as being responsible.

Mr. Newell's wife when questioned by the officers told them that on the day before her husband's death she purchased some powdered strychnine to be used in killing rats.

HENNESSEY.—Mrs. Mary E. Hennesssey, wife of James Hennesssey, died this morning at her home, No. 40 By street, aged 56 years. Besides her husband she leaves four sisters, Mrs. John Mylott of North Andover, Mrs. Richard DeCourcey of Gloucester, Mrs. Amede Chateauff of St. Basil, P. Q., and Sister Mary Basil, O. S. D. of Charlottetown; three daughters, Alice, Annie and Gertrude Hennesssey, and five sons, James, John, Thomas, Daniel and Charles Hennesssey.

SMITH.—Mrs. Sarah Livingston Smith died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willard L. Bailey, in Reading, aged 85 years, six months and 28 days. She was the widow of the late Luther Smith, and was a resident of this city until the time of his death. She was a member of the First Baptist church many years ago, later transferring her membership to the Branch Street tabernacle, of which she was a worthy and consistent member. She is survived by three sons and one daughter, Caleb L., Alfred L., Fred A. and Mrs. Caroline A. Bailey.

RYAN.—Mrs. Sarah Ryan, wife of Jeremiah Ryan, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 64 years. Deceased was a well known resident and for the past 50 years had been a member of St. Patrick's church. Besides her husband she leaves three nieces, Mrs. Michael Doyle, Miss Elizabeth Ryan and Miss Loretta Goode, and two nephews, Patrick H. Ryan and Mr. John J. Goode.

The body was taken to her home, 779 Westford street, by Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons. Funeral notice later.

BARON ROSEN ARRIVES

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Baron Rosen, the Russian ambassador to the United States, arrived today on the steamer Krounthauser from a visit abroad. He was accompanied by his family.

The Swedish minister to the United States, Herman De Lagercrantz with his family returned on the same steamer.

Winter Wall Papers. Read!

MAGISTRATE BREEN

Says Pay Envelopes Are Not For Wife to Open

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Wives have no right "tyrannically to coerce their husbands to give them their pay envelopes sealed, but the husband who voluntarily turns his pay envelope over to his wife, if she is frugal and sagacious, is the best citizen in New York," according to Magistrate Mattheus P. Breen.

In a lecture to a couple in Essex Market Court, yesterday, the magistrate discussed this matter of wives running the family finances, but he denied Mrs. Annie Loudes the order she sought to force her husband, Louis, of No. 14 Forsyth street, to give a certain amount weekly for the household.

Mrs. Loudes complained that her husband, who is a mechanic earning \$15 a week, gives her only 50 cents a day to support herself and two children and run the home.

"I tell you what's the trouble," the husband interposed. "My wife wants me to turn my pay envelope over to her every Saturday night, sealed. She wants me to give her every cent I earn and make me beg her to hand me out a nickel every time I want a cigar, a glass of beer, or car fare. I don't think that's a respectable position for a husband and father to occupy."

"You want too much," said Magistrate Breen, turning to the complaining wife. "To require your husband to turn his unopened pay envelope over to you each week would amount to tyranny of the sort most dangerous to the perpetuation of the home as the sacred institution it is today. A wife has no right to make such demands of her husband. The husband is the sole owner of the fund, and has the only right, perhaps, to examine the contents of an envelope representing his recompense for his daily toll."

"While I cannot sanction the doctrine of a wife compelling her husband to turn over his pay envelope intact to her, it is my firm judgment that the man who does voluntarily give all of his earnings to his frugal and sagacious wife for the conduct of the household, the clothing of the children and preparing them for school and Sunday school is the ideal New York citizen."

John Stuart Mill, the eminent English political economist, it is said, was once asked what class of men in England were the happiest. He replied the mechanic who earned good wages and gave his pay envelope to his wife every Saturday night for the maintenance of his home.

I agree fully with that sentiment, but such a doctrine is forgotten too much in this modern, bustling age. It ought to be revived, however, and it occurs to me some mighty good efforts could be expended in propaganda work designed to give this doctrine not alone general approval, but general use.

"Moreover, if a man has the right sort of a wife, I see not the least objection to his allowing her full freedom in going into his pockets, while he sleeps or under any other circumstances. The trouble with my wife is she doesn't get enough when she goes into my pockets."

"Also, I think it encourages regard for honesty among children to permit them to exercise reasonable freedom in getting money they need from their father's pockets. There is too wide a gulf these days between the average father and his children. The average father, I observe, does not place enough confidence in his own sons; he does not trust them enough and teach them the value of confidence and honesty."

The magistrate is against coercion, and dismissed the complaint against Loudes.

ATTACKS HIBBARD

Saunders Says He Should Not Run For Mayor

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Former Election Commissioner Charles R. Saunders last night issued another open letter to Mayor Hibbard, this time replying to the mayor's reply to his open letter of Sunday night, calling for his (the mayor's) withdrawal from the mayoralty contest.

Mr. Saunders concludes his statement that if the mayor continues in his present course nothing but infamy will be his place in history "insofar as you are remembered at all."

He also terms Mr. Hibbard's reference to "loyalty to the city" as the refinement of sarcasm.

The letter is as follows:

"The Hon. George A. Hibbard, 35 Beaumont street, Dorchester Centre:

"Dear Sir—Your letter in reply to mine of yesterday is received. I am not surprised that you attempt no defense of your violation, in disregard of all honor, of your solemn pledge not to be a candidate for re-election which you publicly and repeatedly gave the voters two years ago when appealing for this support. It admits of none.

"Those men were martyrs for principle. They threw their influence on the right side and the people remember them with gratitude.

"But when Benedict Arnold sought to deliver West Point to the British, when Hull surrendered Detroit without firing a shot, and when John Tyler betrayed the whig party which elected him, there was no martyrdom in store for them—notting but infamy, and such will be your place in history, insofar as you are remembered at all, if you continue in your present course.

Yours very truly,
Charles R. Saunders."

ARREST WOMEN

On Charge of Attempted Larceny

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Two well dressed women, wearing costly furs, were booked at police headquarters yesterday on charges of attempted larceny from the person. They were arrested by Inspectors Burr and Smith and gave the names of Eva Harris, 27 years old, 15 Salem st., and Elsie Herman, 20, of Washington street.

The arresting officers said the young women had been followed through the big stores by house detectives. One of these detectives claims she saw one of the prisoners take a pocketbook from an unknown woman.

Outside of saying that they lived in Boston the women refused to talk. The address, 15 Salem street, is a store, and neither of the women are known there.

Nearly \$100 was found on the women when searched at headquarters. The money was in small bunches. A small real pocketbook and a brown pocketbook were also found.

\$3 Eye Glasses \$1

Just to familiarize you with my work and method of examining eyes, I offer my \$3.00 glasses for \$1.00. Open every day except Wednesdays.

J. W. GRADY
EYESIGHT SPECIALIST,
Woman's Exchange
Cor. Central and Merrimack Streets.
Telephone 1614

POETS IN INTERNATIONAL WAR OVER "SERPENT'S TONGUE" POEM



NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The prospect of two celebrated poets engaging in a duel, a fist fight, or a redhot combat of words is causing literary folk in New York to sit up nights in anticipation of "The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue," which he brands as ungentle in the extreme. Mr. Watson says he is coming to make Mr. Le Gallienne eat his rhymes, and the latter says he is ready for any kind of argument from Le Gallienne face to face and find out why shotguns to boxing gloves.

he wrote a certain poem entitled "The Poet With the Coward's Tongue." Mr.

Le Gallienne admits his verses were aimed at the Englishman in reply to

"The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue," which he brands as ungentle in the extreme. Mr. Watson says he is coming to make Mr. Le Gallienne eat his rhymes, and the latter says he is ready for any kind of argument from

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SIX DAYS RACE

The Foreign Riders Arrive in New York

When the French Line steamship La Touraine docked in New York city Saturday morning, there were, after the usual scene with the customs inspectors, disembarked nine foreign riders, all but one of whom have come to America for the express purpose of competing in the forthcoming six days race which will take place in Madison Square Garden, New York city, the week of December 6 to 11, inclusive.

The riders who sailed from Havre, France, were Walter Rutt, of Germany; John Stol, of Holland; Leon George, G. Germain, Emile Georget and Charles Parent, of France; Cunillo and E. Carapezz, of Italy; Reginald Shirley of England.

The only rider of the number named who will not compete in the six days grind is Parent, the world's champion pace follower. He has been engaged to meet Robert J. Walthour in a special 10 miles motor-paced race, which may or may not be the feature of the preliminary race meet next Saturday night, 4th inst. The real feature of that meet doubtless will be the match sprint race between Frank L. Kramer, who won the American professional championship this season through a technicality, and A. J. Clarke, the Australian, who finished second in the series and whose withdrawal in the final race gave Kramer a more or less hollow victory. The match race will be of more than ordinary interest, for the reason stated.

Plans for the six days race next week have progressed rapidly. The track, which will measure one-tenth of a mile, as in former years will be completed in time to allow the now riders sufficient practice upon its sharp banks. Pending the completion of the ten laps wooden saucer, the foreign and other riders will devote their time to training upon the roads.

The foreigners do not appear as formidable an aggregation as have crossed the pond upon former occasions. The prowess of Rutt and Stol, who won in 1907, and finished second to Macfarland and Moran last year, is well known. Leon George and Emile Georget rode as a team in 1907, but the latter did not compete last year. Victor Dupre being Leon's mate. In view of the fact that Emile has been on the sick list for about a year it is doubtful if he will be a great help to his younger brother.

The other teams are Germain and Shirley and Cunillo and Carapezz. It was learned that Germain is not the negro, but an old time French plunger, but at any rate he is not a crack. Reginald Shirley is an English sprinter, ranking with Bouyoux, who blew up early in the race two years ago. This is the maiden offense for both Germain and Shirley, as it will be for Cunillo and Carapezz, the Italian duo. Cunillo is not a track rider and he may find it difficult to accustom himself to such a small track as the Madison Square Garden oval. As a hardy road rider he is in a class with Gerb, one of the best macadam blasters that the sunny peninsula ever produced. Carapezz is a well known second-class sprinter.

So far as can be learned the field of contestants now numbers 17 teams, and unless there are eleventh hour changes the combinations that will whirl around the ten laps pine bowl all next week a million times or less, are as follows:

Rout and Fogler, Anderson and Vanouli, Lawson and De Mara, Pfe and Yehir, Lawrence and Halstead, West and Mitten, Krebs and Cameron, Galvin and Jones, Bardgett and Logan, Wiley and Drobach, Clarke and Macfarland, Walthour and Collins, Carapezz and Cunillo, Rutt and Stol, Georget and George, Germain and Shirley, and Hill and Stein.

FIRE IN NASHUA

Caused the Loss of About \$3500

NASHUA, N. H., Nov. 30.—Fire, which resulted in a loss of \$3500, destroyed the stables adjoining the residence of Gen. Charles W. Stevens on Main street yesterday. It broke out late in the afternoon and owing to the quantity of hay and grain in the lofts the fire companies from the central and Lake street stations were kept on duty until 8 o'clock.

The fire started in an unknown way and had gained considerable headway when discovered. By the time the fire companies could be assembled the building and its adjoining carriage house were enveloped in flames.

After an hour's work the flames were under control and the balance of the time was devoted to extinguishing the blaze in the hay, of which there were seven tons in the stable. Two horses which were in the stable were taken out, but harnesses and other equipments were lost.

The F. D. Cook Lumber company's storehouse and other buildings were threatened at times. The building was covered by an insurance of \$2500.

100 MEN RESCUED

One Man Was Burned to Death

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—Frank Marrow, an American, was killed in a coal mine explosion at Marion, Ill., yesterday and more than 100 men were rescued with difficulty. Marrow was in that portion of the mine which received the full force of the explosion and his body was nearly incinerated before the rescuers could receive it.

More than 100 men were in the colliery when the gas blast came. There was an immediate rush for the shaft and as the cage had not been damaged, all the workmen were soon brought to the surface.

Nearly a score of the men, however, mindful of the disaster at Cherry, Ill., were too terrified to await the usual means of exit and climbed to daylight through the ventilating shaft.

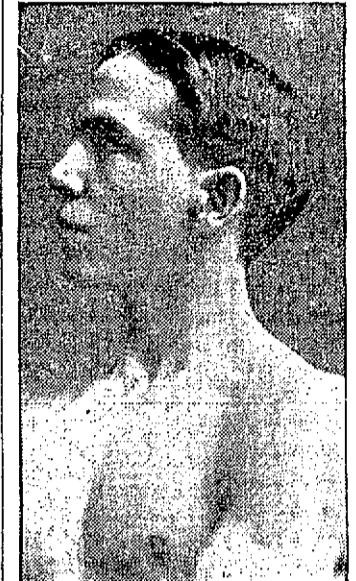
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JIMMY GARDNER

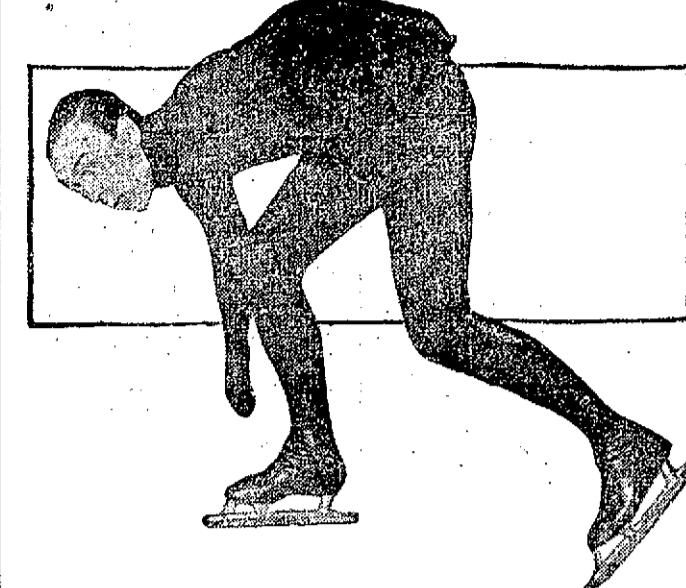
Allowed Twin Sullivan to Reach Him

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 30.—In the opinion of nearly all the 3000 fans who witnessed the 12-round go at the Grand Opera House last evening between Mike (Twin) Sullivan of Cambridge and Jimmy Gardner of Lowell, there was an understanding between the principals.

The crowd hissed the fighters again and again and went home disgusted.



JIMMY GARDNER

CLARENCE GRONGER, DECLARED AMATEUR SKATING CHAMPION

SARANAC LAKE, Nov. 30.—Clarence Gronger, who was recently given the title of champion amateur ice skater of the United States by the Eastern Amateur Skating association, is now hard at work conditioning himself for the many big meets to be held in the near future. Gronger has replaced Edmund Lamy, the speed marvel of

Saranac Lake, N. Y., who is to be henceforth classed as a professional. Gronger finished second to Lamy in nearly all the important races of last winter in Cleveland, Pittsburgh and Newburg, N. Y. Gronger is now the national champion in the one and a half and two and a half miles as well as an international champion at five miles.

BOXING GOSSIP

The bout was declared a draw. The Anchor athletic club, which arranged the match, was not held responsible by the spectators, for the blame was charged up to the boxers. The fact that the bout was at catchweight and not at welterweight also tended to strengthen the belief of the crowd that it was a fake, pure and simple.

Five or six times Gardner simply stood still and allowed Sullivan to pounce him at will. There was not a good blow struck in the bout. Boxing has never been popular with the New Haven police, and in the opinion of the experts last night's affair will make it difficult to get another permit in this city.

The police stopped the preliminary bout between Eddie Kelly of Bridgeport and "Joe" Marks of Hightwood in the second round in order to save Kelly from being knocked out as he was in bad shape.

The semi-final between "Bunny" Ford of New Haven and Terry Fitzgerald of New Britain resulted in a draw. This was a 10-round go. In the first few rounds Forded, but Fitzgerald was clever in blocking and evened matters.

YOUNG LOUGHREY WON

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Young Loughrey of Philadelphia, easily defeated Eddie Murphy of South Boston in 12 rounds at the National A. C. in South Boston last night. The bout was all Loughrey's from the start.

In the preliminaries Kit McDonald and Joe Murphy, both of Boston, went eight rounds to a draw and the referee stopped the bout between Jimmy Kerrigan and Mike Murray, both of South Boston, in the fifth round and gave the decision to Murray, Kerrigan being in bad shape.

JACK JOHNSON**WILL NOT FIGHT JEFFRIES IN THE SOUTH**

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 30.—That he would not fight James J. Jeffries south of Mason and Dixon's line, was the statement made yesterday by Jack Johnson, heavyweight pugilist, in a telegram to Mr. Nick Apron of a local athletic club, in answer to the latter's offer of a purse for the battle.

This statement accompanied the advice that it would be useless for a southern club to make an offer because the black man would not consider it.

JUDGE UTLEY**DETERMINED TO KEEP DRUNKS OFF THE CARS**

WORCESTER, Nov. 30.—Judge Samuel Utley of the central district court yesterday took a hand in the effort to eliminate the presence of drunken men on suburban cars running into Worcester from the license towns around the city by imposing a \$15 fine on a defendant.

In impacting the fine Judge Utley said: "If the railway authorities moved in this matter in the right direction in the first place, there wouldn't be any evil like this at all. Years ago I told the probation officers that drunken men taken from electric cars or trains should not be discharged without arraignment. These men should be dealt with harshly, and the growing street car nuisance would soon pass into oblivion."

DANIEL REED**MAN OF NOTED ANCESTRY IS DEAD**

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.—The body of Daniel Reed, who died here Sunday night, aged 91, at the Emergency home for aged people, was cremated yesterday afternoon at the Missouri cemetery. He was born in Camden, Me., and leaves a daughter Mrs. Vesta Reed, aged 64.

His grandfather was Gen. James Reed, who served under Washington in the Revolution. In 1840 he married Martha Frances Gray, granddaughter of William Gray of Boston, who owned 99 ships.

He was 20 years a sea captain, loving that calling to become Internal revenue gatherer at Boston. He was assistant surgeon under Gen. U. S. Grant in the Civil war, after which he was a really agent many years until he retired to the soldiers' home at Danville, Ill. He came to the Emergency home nine years ago.

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SECOND FLOOR

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Probably the most effective move made by the women suffrage leaders in New York to spread the propaganda of their cause was the benefit which they arranged at Wallack's theatre, where the great newspaper play "The Fourth Estate" was having such a popular run. Pictures in the underwriting were Miss Alice Fischer and Mrs. Pauline Frederick, who have two of the prominent roles in the play. They prevailed upon the management to offer the entire proceeds of one performance to the suffrage cause and invited such leaders as Mrs. Belmont, Dr. Anna Shaw and Mrs.

Penhurst, the English suffragist, to speak from the stage. The plan met with instantaneous approval, and Mrs. Belmont and her associates set out to get as many prominent women as they could to attend the benefit. They argued that the story told in this remarkable play was the best possible argument that could be advanced in support of the necessity of purifying politics, a consummation which they earnestly believe will not be reached until women get the ballot. The suffrage movement is gaining strength in New York even more rapidly than it did in London, and its leaders in the metropolis assert that it will spread

over the whole of the United States in the next few months. Those active in arranging the big benefit were Dr. Anna Shaw, Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, Mrs. Jane Campbell, Mrs. Ella Cross, Mrs. Townsend, Mrs. Helen Greenleaf, Mrs. Harriett Miles, Mrs. N. S. Fraser, Mrs. E. J. Shuler, Mrs. Henry Villard, Mrs. W. M. Irvin, Miss Lucy Anthony, Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Owen Kilpatrick, Miss Alice Fischer and Miss Frederick.

The scene shown in this illustration is at the climax of the play, when Miss Pauline Frederick, as Judith Belmont, pleads to prevent publication of a story exposing her father.

will attend the Armory club this evening to see Bobbie Maguire go six rounds with Bobbie Tickle of Providence. Maguire is in fine condition. The main bout will be of 18 rounds between Roy Bronson and Dave Desher.

A TRIPLE TIE

For the World's Billiard Championship

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—A triple tie for the world's professional 18-ball billiard championship resulted from yesterday's play in the tournament at Madison Square garden. At the afternoon session, George Sutton of Chicago, defeated Firmin Cassignol, the French champion; and this evening Calvin Demarest of Chicago won from George Slosson, the New York player.

The two winners are therefore tied with Harry P. Cline of Philadelphia, each of the three having completed his schedule with four games won and one lost. The scores of the six contestants for the championship are as follows:

		St. Peters	1	2	3	Totals
Loupret	.....	90	75	55	250	412
Riley	.....	67	81	55	203	406
Dunham	.....	53	76	56	205	402
O'Donnell	.....	80	83	103	266	404
McCarthy	.....	92	92	110	294	404
						1287

		Belvideres	1	2	3	Totals
Curry	.....	83	100	92	275	458
Gilligan	.....	80	103	94	283	453
Clark	.....	108	88	107	303	450
L. Martin	.....	106	98	126	330	450
Vice	.....	87	86	95	278	450
						1332

		Y. M. C. L.	1	2	3	Totals
McCort	.....	93	85	85	263	458
Martin	.....	57	98	93	250	450
A. Doyle	.....	104	96	80	280	450
Moran	.....	96	91	82	269	450
T. F. Kelley	.....	93	91	100	284	450
						1378

		Burkers	1	2	3	Totals
Duglass	89	88	89	266	458
McNamee	89	85	97	271	450
Pope	88	105	95	288	450
O'Brien	88	94	91	273	450
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		CRIMSONS WON	1	2	3	Totals

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STABBED TO DEATH

Young Woman Was Trying to Save Her Father

VINCENNES, Ind., Nov. 30.—Interior Minister to save her father, Jasper Burba, Miss Etta Burba, 20 years old, was stabbed to death by Oscar Savage, her sweetheart, at her home last night. Savage attacked Burba with a long knife, inflicting a gash across the forehead. Burba defended himself with a bottle, and his daughter tried to protect him. Either in a fit of rage or by accident, Savage plunged the knife

into the girl's heart and she died almost instantly.

Burba told his sister-in-law to call the police. Savage pursued her, brandishing the bloody knife until he reached the police station. Then he returned to the Burba home, and placed his sweetheart's body on a bed. He was sitting beside it when the police arrived. He seemed stupefied and protested that the girl was not dead.

COCAINE USED

By the Inmates at Deer Island

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—James C. White, secretary to Mayor Hibbard, has, at the latter's request, made an investigation of the charges that cocaine and other drugs are being used by the inmates of the house of correction at Deer Island, and in his report he admits that the "dope" habit exists among the prisoners, but not to any such alarming extent as has been represented.

Sec. White reports that of the 1,500 prisoners at the house of correction not more than 40 are victims or users of drugs. He places the number between 25 and 40, although allegations have been made that approximately 300 were addicted to the drug habit.

In regard to the charges that cocaine and other forms of drug were given to the prisoners by officers at the institution, Sec. White believes

that they are unfounded, but he practically admits that the stuff has been brought to the island in surreptitious ways. Neither does the secretary believe that large quantities of drugs reach the inmates, nor does he believe that regularly are brought to the island.

In his investigation Sec. White discovered that cocaine reached the prisoners through the many furtive ways which the inventive minds of those afflicted with the craze have devised, and he is of the opinion that some cocaine has been given to prisoners beneath postage stamps and in the binding of books. Although he thinks part of the dope is brought by the inmates themselves at the time of their commitment and in such a manner as to defy a bodily search, the bulk of the smuggling has been done by visitors.

As to the charges that some of the officers have assisted in the illegal traffic in drugs, the secretary says that it is true, and it is also to be feared that among the officers there have been some who have fallen under the temptation, but upon mere suspicion these officers have been discharged, and he feels confident that when the master of the house of correction ascertains that he now thinks his lists are being done the officers when it is said that they are aware of the situation and guilty witnesses of the various attending practices.

As a remedy against the evil, Sec. White recommends in his report that the 30 or 40 inmates addicted to drug be at once segregated and placed under the observation of the medical officers. He also goes a step further and recommends that the list of visitors to the island be reduced and that all officers on the island be sworn in as constables. He suggests that Mayor Hibbard make a request of the head of the Harvard or Tufts medical school, or both, to have two or more experts, preferably men who have had charge made, to make a special investigation of the conditions and report plan, not only preventing the growth, at least at Deer Island, of the practice, but of possibly curing such inmates as are now suffering from the habit.

MRS. M. T. SCOTT

Seeks Re-Election as Head of D. A. R.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—Scouting a two-term ambition on the part of Mrs. Matthew T. Scott, who was last year elected to the presidency of the D. A. R., leaders of the large opposition to her administration are in the field with plans to combat that ambition.

The announcement that Mrs. Scott will run again in the spring of 1911 is said to have been conveyed to intimate friends among her supporters. The "insurgents," whose candidate, Mrs. William Cumming Story of New York city, had only eight votes less than Mrs. Scott at the election last fall, are openly charging that Mrs. Scott is pledging not to seek re-election.

It is claimed, however, that the Illinois state organization to which she belongs has from the first insisted that it would put Mrs. Scott in the field a second time.

Mrs. Scott, who has engaged a suite of rooms for the winter at the Arlington, has decided to spend the season in Washington and will entertain in lavish style between now and April, the month set for the annual continental congress.

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Mrs. Charles Warren Fairbanks.

NEW CITY HALL
For New York Will Cost \$7,500,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Plans for the \$7,500,000 twenty-five story municipal building, 550 feet high, were approved by the board of estimate yesterday, and contracts for the work will be let within a few days.

This great structure, which will house most of the city departments will be erected near the Brooklyn bridge, and will have 550,000 feet of floor space.

COMMITTEE ON SEWERS

The committee on sewers went viewing yesterday afternoon and last night gave hearings on petitions for sewers in Moore and Marsh streets and Plummer avenue. Sewers in Moore and Marsh streets were voted but the Plummer avenue sewer was not voted.

AN ITCHING PALM

No Cure for It. Other Forms of Itching Preferable

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money kind. Even poison, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poison will stop the itching at once and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, scabies, split toes, palms, and scalp scalp, all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless diet.

Poison comes in two-dollar jars, but fifty cents' worth will answer in curing any of the diseases mentioned. It can be had of any druggist. Falls & Burkinshaw and Carter & Sherburne make a specialty of it.

That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send free by mail. In plain wrapper, to anyone who will write for it.

PANIC STRICKEN

Families Scared by Explosion of Dynamite

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dynamite dropped down the chimney wrecked the flat of Abraham Elmhurst in East 13th street last night, and falling debris cut him severely about the head. His wife, with an infant in her arms, was hurled across the room, but neither was badly hurt. Twenty-five families in the building were panic stricken and fled to the street. The owner of the tenement who has been receiving "Black Hand" letters, is supposed to have been the object of the attack.

WESTFORD MAN INJURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

John Abbott of Westford was seriously injured in Lexington on Saturday afternoon as the result of an automobile in which he was riding being overturned. He received a broken collarbone, a cut on the back of the head and several bruises.

Mr. Abbott was riding with Walter Carl in the latter's automobile, a Pope-Hartford, when the accident occurred. The car was bowing along the state road between Concord and Arlington. When a sharp corner was reached Mr. Carl applied the brakes in order to slow down, that he might negotiate the curve, but the brakes refused to work, the car skidded and turned turtle, threw the occupants out.

Mr. Carl escaped injury, but Mr. Abbott was not so fortunate. The latter was assisted to a house nearby and a doctor was called.

Another machine was secured and both young men were taken to Mr. Abbott's home. Mr. Abbott is now resting comfortably.

THE LEWISOHN ESTATE

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—The estate of the late Leonard Lewisohn of New York was not in any way involved in the Old Dominion Co. litigation in this state, as stated in a despatch sent from this city on Saturday, when executions amounting to \$2,182,350 were issued by the supreme court against Albert S. Bigelow of Boston and in favor of the various attending practices.

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LYNN, Nov. 30.—Clouds of forgetfulness still hover in the mind of Joseph Bekovitch, 14, of 112 Wyman street, who was kidnapped for the second time in his life on Saturday, Oct. 30, by two men, who kept him until last Friday, when he escaped and returned home.

The police, in an effort to trace the kidnappers, find that the boy has experienced almost an utter lapse of memory.

Beyond the fact that he was for two weeks a prisoner in a deserted house on the outskirts of Boston and but half fed and partly unconscious for four weeks, the boy can remember nothing that would help the police.

The young man when he found his way back home last Friday night was so weakened that he could scarcely talk. Since then he has been able to give only the barest details of his experience.

Bekovitch disappeared on Saturday, Oct. 30. When he failed to return to his father's home in the evening a search was instigated, but until he returned home last Friday night no trace of him could be found.

His own explanation is that on Saturday noon, the day he disappeared, he received his pay and started home when he met two strange men on the street. One asked him his name and then said: "If you will come with me, I will see that you get a better job at a higher salary."

The young man joined the men and they took a car. His story from that time is incomplete except that the young man declared that the men took him in the general direction of Boston, but that they were on the outskirts. He was taken into a house and locked in a room.

At frequent intervals the boy heard the two men talking about money matters. They swore repeatedly, and a few days before the young man made his escape he was very trying, for it was very dry and while there are plenty of birds on the grounds, it was difficult for the dogs to hunt them.

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SPITTING NUISANCE

Hawking and Spitting is Caused by Catarrh Germs

If the local authorities want to stop the disgusting habit of spitting mucus on the sidewalks, they had better instruct the people as to the best method of ridding the catarrh germs and curing catarrh.

You can easily tell by reading the symptoms below whether you have catarrh or not:

Olfactive breath, frequent sneezing, discharge from nose, stoppage of nose, huskiness of the voice, tickling in throat, spasmodic coughing, a cold, pain in chest, loss of strength, variable appetite, spasmodic coughing, low spirits at times, raising of mucous, difficulty in breathing, loss of vital force.

Carter & Sherburne have a sensitive remedy (money back if it fails) for catarrh, called Hydromel, which is a varnished air or antiseptic that when it is breathed over the inflamed and germ-infested membrane, it kills all germs life and cures catarrh.

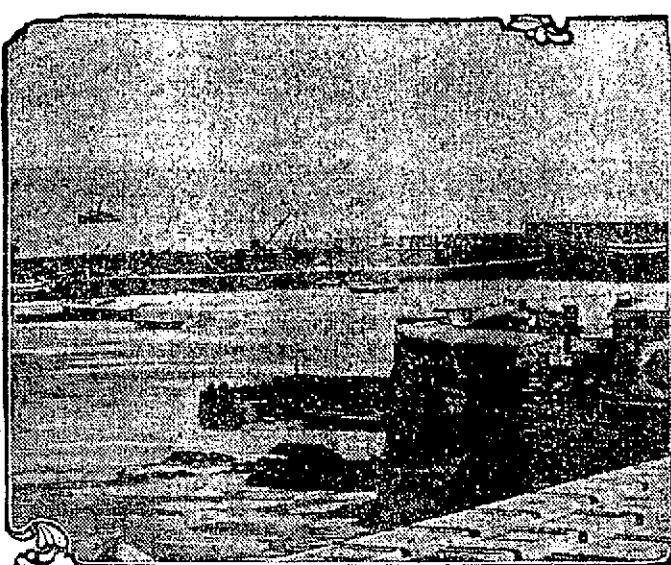
The price, including hard rubber inhaler, is only \$1.00, and money back if it doesn't cure. Extra bottles, 50 cents.

"I have tried almost every catarrh cure on the market without benefit. Have been using Hydromel for one week and feel like a new man already." Wm. V. Goode, Newark, Ohio, June 21, 1909.

MI-O-NA
Cures Indigestion

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching, and cures all stomach distress or money back. Large box of tablets 50 cents. Druggists in all towns.

PORT OF SANTA CRUZ, TENERIFE, MENACED BY STREAMS OF LAVA



DIED ON ISLAND

Charles Conway Succumbed to Exposure

Charles Conway, aged 52 years, and John Cosgrove went boat riding on the Shawneen river late Saturday night after an evening in Lowell, and Conway's dead body was found on a small island in the river on Sunday morning, while Cosgrove is at his home in East Tewksbury in a critical condition as the result of exposure.

The news of the finding of the body, probably on account of the condition of Cosgrove, did not become generally known until yesterday afternoon, when Undertaker Frank Farmer removed it to the morgue.

As far as can be learned the two men who were employed on the farm of Wallace Burt in East Tewksbury came to Lowell and spent the evening here, leaving the city about 10:30 o'clock. Upon arriving in Tewksbury they decided to take a boat ride on the Shaw-

Lowell, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1909.

A. G. Pollard Co.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE.

The Book Store

Opens again more attractive to book buyers than ever before, for besides our usual far-the-largest-collection-in-this-section, the great values which we offer in editions de luxe of the best known authors are magnets which would draw any one with a book thought to our counters. You know we advise the Book purchases to be made early.

PALMER STREET

CENTRE AISLE

Our November Under-the-Regular Price Sale

In our Great Bargain Basement finishes today. We have given you for the four days some of the greatest values in our store history, and the sales sheets show us that you have taken good advantage of them. Today's offerings are wonderful in their worth.

Children's Winter Bonnets, nicely trimmed, 25c to 50c value.

November Sale Only 15c Each

Ladies' Neckwear—Jabots, Stockings and Dutch Collars, 15c and 25c quality..... November Sale 5c Each

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, 50c and \$1.00 value.

November Sale 10c Each

Children's Trimmed Hats, 25c and 50c value.

November Sale 10c Each

Children's Rompers, made of good fine chambrey gingham, 39c value..... November Sale 19c

Corset Cover Embroideries, good, fine quality, 18 inches wide, 25c Yard value..... November Sale Only 12 1-2c Yard

Ladies' Handkerchiefs, plain and fancy, 5c value.

November Sale Only 3c Each

Best Cretonne in remnants, fancy weaves, all new colorings and a good assortment of patterns, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

Wool Suiting, 27 inches wide, heavy material for winter coats, suits and pants, 39c value..... November Sale 15c Yard

Very fine Percale, light and dark colors, fine quality, 30 inches wide, 10c value..... November Sale Only 6 1-4c Yard

40 inch fine white Lawn for aprons, etc., 10c value.

November Sale 7c Yard

Yard wide Art Sateen, very handsome designs, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

Yard wide Percale, light and dark percale, very fine quality, fast colors for house dresses and wrappers, 10c value.

November Sale Only 6 1-2c Yard

Diaper Cloth, nice soft quality remnants, of best quality, in bundles of 5 yards, for..... 20c a Bundle

Yard wide heavy plain Oating Flannel, gray, pink and blue, regular value 12 1-2c..... November Sale 8 1-2c Yard

Yard wide Bleached Twill Flannel, good thick quality, 12 1-2c value..... November Sale Only 10c Yard

25c fine Victoria and India Lawn, nice and fine quality.

November Sale Only 17c Yard

Best quality of Oating Flannel, light and dark, in full pieces, 12 1-2c value..... November Sale Only 8c Yard

25c fine Victoria and India Lawn, nice and fine quality.

November Sale Only 17c Yard

Heavy Black and Tan Cotton Hose, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale 7 1-2c Pair

Men's Braces, made of fine lisle web, leather end, 25c value.

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The sworn daily average circulation of The Lowell Sun
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Sworn to by John H. Harrington, proprietor, Martin H. Reidy, business manager, and Alfred Pilote, pressman, of The Sun, before me, January 1, 1909. J. JOSEPH HENNESSY, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

THE PROBATION OFFICER'S WORK

The showing made by Probation Officer Slattery in his report for the year gives some indication of the vast amount of good he is doing in his work to reform the people committed to his care on account of drunkenness or other offences.

Mr. Slattery has always entered into his work with a great deal of earnestness, and through his appeals for reform many hundreds have returned to the path of honor, decency and rectitude. Mr. Slattery has our congratulations on the success of his work.

WHEN ROOSEVELT RETURNS.

The country has been somewhat lonely since ex-President Roosevelt started for Africa. The people have missed his long-winded discussions on trusts and other things; how the former could be divided into good and bad, and the latter so far as they operate for evil attributed to the democratic party.

Roosevelt has had a unique experience since he left the United States, and no doubt when he returns he will be Africanized to the extent that he will not go into mourning if he finds "his policies dead and buried." They are at present in a fit condition to be submitted to the taxidermist so that they can be preserved in a museum with the animal curiosities he brings from Africa.

MEEHAN A MAN FOR WHOM ALL CAN VOTE.

There is no reason why any citizen of Lowell should not vote for John F. Meehan for mayor. It is true he is the democratic nominee, but he declares himself, first and foremost, for good government for all the people. If republicans want such government, here is their chance to bring about the change. In all his public and private utterances in his legislative record, as well as in his anti-caucus campaign, Mr. Meehan seemed to put "duty" above all else, and already he has so far expressed his intention as to say that his chief duty, if elected mayor, will be to give the people better municipal government than they now have. Hence it is, that the election of Mr. Meehan is likely to bring about some of the most important changes the people have sought for many years in the administration of affairs at city hall.

LOWELL SHOULD WAKE UP.

The city of Lawrence is to have another great woolen mill. How is it that we cannot induce the American Woolen company to locate some of its big mills in Lowell? Is it because the cotton mills control the best sites and practically the entire water power?

By the way, has any official of our city or any public body approached the American Woolen company on this point? During the past year we have given our attention mainly to running political wind mills which bring very poor returns to the people.

Lawrence is now experiencing a boom that may soon bring her up to the status of Lowell, with industries more stable and more prosperous.

It is not time for Lowell to wake up and give her attention to something more substantial and more essential to her welfare than the empty political bugaboos with which she has been engaged during the past year?

TO AVERT A TARIFF WAR.

Congressman Mann, from Illinois, purposes at the coming session of congress to introduce a bill to amend the present tariff law so as to avert a tariff war with Canada.

It remains to be seen whether Speaker Cannon will throw the bill in the waste basket or whether the standpatters will contrive to defeat the measure in the interest of the trusts.

Mr. Mann's bills are aimed mainly at the paper and wood pulp schedules. This reopening of the tariff discussion will give the insurgent republicans an opportunity to expose the injustices of the law and the unprincipled course by which it was forced through congress.

The democrats will naturally welcome the opportunity to join hands with the "insurgents" on this matter and thus, whether successful or not, pave the way for victorious elections next fall.

The speaker, however, will endeavor to buy off certain democrats by concessions, but the man who thus sells out to the republican czar will have to answer to his constituents for his recreancy.

FOR EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

Perhaps it is not too early to suggest the advisability of early Christmas shopping. To be sure there are other events on the tapis in the meantime, and among them are the raising of a big Y. M. C. A. campaign fund, the election of a democratic mayor and a few other things of lesser importance.

But in spite of all these let the young man who intends to purchase a present for his best girl, get a line on what she would like and if at all compatible with the resources of his pocketbook, buy the present now.

To the girls who have to make a variety of presents, let us say that it is a good plan to get a piece of paper, jot down the names of the people to whom you are to give presents with the article in each case, and if these be not perishable, purchase now. Early shopping will benefit not only yourself but the girl or the young man behind the counter.

There are people who can never make up their minds what they are going to buy or to whom they will give presents until the last day, and then when they go the rounds of the stores, they find that they cannot get what they want and they have to buy something they don't want.

Why not adopt the habit of doing your Christmas shopping early? It ensures satisfaction for yourself and the recipient of the gift, while it will help to relieve the store clerks of the overwhelming rush in which they are overworked so that for them Christmas brings only fatigue and disappointment.

SEEN AND HEARD

These are the days of turkey hash and turkey soup.

You can save a lot of time by being sure where you want to go before starting.

The first time a girl is disappointed in love, she imagines she has nothing left to live for.

A woman's idea of a tactful man is one who is able to increase the admiration she has for herself.

An office seeker's love for his country is a good deal like that of a titled foreigner for an American heiress.

You can tell a man who has a good opinion of himself by the way he has a poor opinion of others.

A woman who runs a house filled with a big family earns a lot of money, but she never gets it.

A woman wants to get into society so she can pretend she was always there.

The average man thinks a latchkey is more important than the Ten Commandments.

The further a man can travel away from his family the more they can fool themselves about how homesick he is.

Evil doesn't have to carry any insurance on itself for it can come out of fire, famine and plague stronger than it went in.

GETTING THE NEWS

How went the game, old friend? It seems

I'm sadly out of plum; I've just waked up from other dreams, My brain is rather numb, I know my mind is somewhat weak, My body is the same,

'Tis quite a task for me to speak, But, say, how went the game?

I know they walked upon my face Until 'tis badly hacked, My neck's completely out of place, And fourteen ribs are cracked;

I know their fullback broke my nose, I can't recall his name!

I'm sure that eye I gave him shows, And, say, how went the game?

Oh, let me hear the story now;

Speak up, I pray you, friend, Just sit you down and tell me how We played it at the end. We won! That works a wondrous spell,

Though I am sick and lame, I'll have no trouble getting well, Since we have won the game!

Chicago News.

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PEOPLE OF NOTE

With more than 1500 "Dokes" in attendance, the largest college fraternity dinner ever held will be given for Commander Robert E. Peary on Saturday, Dec. 18, at the Hotel Astor by his brothers in Delta Kappa Upsilon. A Barton Hepburn will preside. The dinner is in charge of the following committee: James W. Curtis (Yale), chairman; Allan B. A. Brady (Dartmouth), William Clifford Moore (Yale), Scott Stewart (Western Reserve), George R. Walker (Bow-

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It is probable that the late E. H. Harriman disposed of more money in fewer words than any man ever did before, but there have been some short wills in England. Lord Mansfield took half a sheet of note paper to dispose of his large fortune, and Sir James Stephen used just 13 words in his will. Lord Russell left \$1,000,000 with a dozen lines, and Lord Brampton disposed of much more with 40 words.

Kohler, Cleveland's famous "golden rule" police chief, has set out on a new crusade, and for once he has all the Cleveland papers on his side. He has declared war on "gun toters," and the Plain Dealer says, "even the Golden Rule apparently recognizes the danger of permitting armed men to roam at large, and suspends its moral in the interest of justice."

senator, a teacher in a New York public school said: "That will never happen to any of the immigrant children who have come under my observation." A little boy of fourteen who has been in this country about sixteen months and could speak only Russian when he came here, wrote the best composition in his class on the subject of 'Elections' a few weeks ago, and a girl of thirteen, also in our school and also of Russian parents, knows more than any of her classmates about civil government. These are not exceptional cases, but the fathers of these bright pupils may be no wiser than Werle."

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

"Under the North Star" or "A Dash for the North Pole," an American play replete with doings in the far north was the attraction at the opera house last evening. A good sized audience was present and applauded the work of the actors. The play tells a very interesting tale, and the remaining performances should be well attended. It tells of the discovery of the pole and shows the characters that inhabit the region. The play holds a great combination and includes strong plots. Two men loved the same woman. The men were Lieut. Richard Ward, U. S. N., acted by Al. F. Devitt, and Lieut. Frank Harding, U. S. N., acted by Robert A. Royal. The woman in the play is Helen Thompson, taken care of by Artie Mae Blackburn. She was who had wonderful powers of discernment. She it was, too, who tested over "Ward" for "Harding." But the two men went on the Arctic expedition together and that was where the villainous one intended to get in his dirty work. He didn't do it, though, for even up around the Polar regions right and honor win the final toes.

George Summers, who brought the news of Custer's destruction to the outer world by the steamer Far West, which played so important a part in the Little Horn campaign, is living here of "The Conquest of the Missouri," by Joseph Mills Hansen, who A. C. McClurg & Co. publish. Captain Marsh first shipped on a Missouri packet in 1854, and still plies on the river. From the earliest western migrations, through the Montana gold rushes and the Sioux wars, he was in the forefront of the white advance over the Missouri's wild territory. The services he rendered to the United States government in its various campaigns were notable, and with his other exploits has enabled the biographer to write a book that combines the authority, accuracy, and fullness of a history of America's most important internal advance with the adventurous story of a brave man's career on the old-time river packets.

To offset the experiences of Federal Judge Landis, who refused to issue papers of naturalization to Heinrich Werte in Chicago, because the applicant, despite his thirteen years' residence in the United States, did not know what the word congress stood for and had never heard of a

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SEMIAUTOMATIC ELECTRICAL TABULATOR, "PIN BOX" ATTACHMENT AND STACK OF CARDS AWAITING TABULATION.

OLD DR. U. S. Census will begin making his thirteenth diagnosis of the condition of Uncle Sam and his family April 15 next. He made the first in 1790 and has been repeating it every ten years since. Uncle Sam has footed the bill, to date amounting to about \$47,000,000. Our venerable dad has calculated that the thirteenth investigation will cost about \$13,000,000, so that when old Dr. U. S. Census finishes his current work there will have been spent about \$60,000,000 for this purpose since 1790.

The twelfth census cost about \$13,000,000, and as Uncle Sam's landed possessions have increased since then and his family gained about 15,000,000 more members than belonged to it in 1900, it would be considered no more than fair if the present diagnosis were to call for the spending of about \$19,000,000, which would be the sum if the rate of increase of expense at each census up to the twentieth were to be maintained for the thirteenth.

A census expert has estimated that of the \$13,000,000 the headquarters office force will earn \$4,800,000; the enumerators, \$4,500,000; the supervisors, \$10,000, and the special agents, \$700,000. The administrative cost will be \$200,000; the stationery, \$200,000; rent, \$125,000; tabulating machines, \$260,000; cards for tabulation processes, \$100,000; printing, \$800,000; Alaska, \$85,000; Porto Rico, \$100,000. Total, \$12,930,000.

If that is all the expense it is cheap. The late General Francis A. Walker, who was a census authority greater than any other, living or dead, once

wrote, that "the people of the United States can well afford to pay for the very best census they can get." He penned this in connection with frank confession of his own shortsightedness in underestimating the cost of the tenth census.

It's the old story. When you are ill, get the best doctor you can afford.

The comparative cheapness with which the thirteenth census will be taken will be largely due to Director E. Dana Durand's economical methods, to the introduction of semi-automatic electrical card-punching, tabulating and sorting machines and to the inheritance of wisdom from the experience gained by the permanent census bureau. During the term of the latter, which now is in a sort of state of suspended animation pending the taking of the decennial census, the methods of inquiry, tabulation and compilation have been greatly improved both in accuracy and in economy. Millions will be saved.

Modern Methods For Accuracy.

Mr. Durand is responsible for many of the new methods to increase statistical accuracy at every step of the

census taking and to decrease the per capita cost of the enumeration. The card-punching, tabulating and sorting machinery is the invention of a census mechanical expert, and the patent rights belong to Uncle Sam. The machines are novel in plan and design than those they superseded and can be built and operated at a large saving of money as compared with previous expenditures for this purpose.

Other money-saving features are the elimination of the vital statistics inquiry from the work of the decennial census, as it belongs to the permanent branch of the United States census; the reduction in the number of schedules, the piece price method of paying for machine work, the omission of the hand, household and neighborhood industries from the manufactures branch of the census, and the reduction of the size and number of copies of the final reports.

The larger part of the \$13,000,000 will be expended in the fiscal year which began July 1 last and ends June 30, 1910, the first of the three years within which time the thirteenth census must be over, the temporary clerks

and special agents discharged and the permanent census bureau with its office force of 700 clerks again performing its annual intercensal functions. Fully half of the total to be expended will be Washington's share, and the remainder will be distributed all over the country. Washington needs the money and is preparing to absorb the millions into its circulatory system.

Congress has limited the thirteenth census to four general subjects—population, agriculture, manufactures and mines and quarries. The director is authorized to determine the form and subdivision of inquiries. The inquiry as to population relates to April 15, 1910; that as to agriculture concerns the farm operations during 1909 and calls for an inventory of farm equipment April 15, 1910; that relative to manufactures and mines and quarries is for 1909.

An Army to Get the Facts.

The enumerators will carry only the population and agriculture schedules April 15, 1910. Special agents will be sent out with the schedules for the manufactures, mines and quarries data.

There will be fully 65,000 enumerators, of whom about 45,000 will carry both the population and agriculture schedules, as it is estimated that there are now fully 7,000,000 separate farms in America, with farmers numbering well up into a score of millions. In 1900 there were many more billions of dollars of fixed capital invested in agriculture than there were in manufactures, strange as it may seem. And the farmer is getting better off all the time; his mortgage indebtedness is decreasing fast; his taxation is small as compared with the urbanite's burden, and he has taken to automobile riding on a large scale.

This is the heyday of the farmer, and old Dr. U. S. Census is going to diagnose him pretty carefully for fear that with ease comes evil—that is, the neglect of those essentials which have made his prosperity possible.

Census-taking every ten years is a tremendous task. It is the greatest single operation undertaken by Uncle Sam, with the exception of the Panama canal work and the assembling of an army in time of war. The American census is the largest, costliest and most accurate of any taken by the civilized world.

The enumeration must be finished within two weeks in the cities of 5,000 population or over at the last census and within thirty days in all other areas.

Tabulating the Returns.

The preparation of the schedules for the tabulating process will begin as soon as they are forwarded by the supervisors. The data on them relating to population will be transferred to manila cards by the punching of holes in them to correspond with the different items in the schedules. An electrical machine controlled by a clerk can punch holes in 3,000 cards a day. There will be 300 of these, and 90,000,000 cards have been ordered.

After the punching the cards are hand fed into an electric tabulating machine with a "pin box" attachment, which permits the required pins to pass through the variously placed holes in the cards, in this way establishing an electric circuit, resulting in the tabulation of the items on counters which register their results in printing on spooled paper somewhat like a stock ticker. There will be a hundred of these machines. After certain comparisons to prove accuracy the schedules are permanently preserved in a great iron safe in the census bureau. As the card does not contain the name of the person for whom it stands, all personal identity is eliminated from the cards. All danger of misuse of such information disappears. Severe penalties are provided in case any employee discloses census information to outsiders. The next step is the making of the maps and tables to accompany the analyses and then, finally, the issue of the printed bulletins and reports. Before July 1, 1912, the work must be over and the thirteenth census gone to join its scientific ancestors.

PHILIP DARWIN.

Sixty-first Congress Is In Sight

First Winter Session of the Taft Administration Promises to Be Unusually Active. Forecast of Legislation and Important Appointments.

THE congress that meets Monday, Dec. 6, next, will be the first regular session of the Sixty-first congress. The session that met Monday, March 15, was a special one, called by President Taft to consider the tariff.

The session will be unusually active if it undertakes to carry out the expectations of the president, who returned from the record presidential jaunt Nov. 10. Some of the things outlined by him are the following:

Of first consideration are the conservation of the country's resources and the reclamation of arid lands. The president was evidently impressed in his journey with the earnestness of the west on these propositions.

He will recommend that the government shall reserve some control on the water power sites and the coal lands and phosphates of the country in order that they may not come into the control of any one corporation.

He will ask for legislation for a more rigid enforcement of the antitrust law that it may be more effective.

He will also ask an amendment to the Interstate commerce law in order

to give the interstate tribunal more power to prevent the delays which are incident to appeals to the courts. To do this he will suggest the creation of a special court and have a court that will be charged with the knowledge and practice in regard to railroads, so that whatever comes up may be promptly disposed of.

He will strongly favor a postal savings bank. He hopes that the monetary commission in its report may point out some steps to reform what he regards as nothing but patchwork in that respect. He will recommend an improvement of the legal procedure of the country so as to make it both in criminal and civil cases, more simple, more rapid and less expensive. To

the appointment of a commission to take up this subject with respect to the federal procedure satisfactory results are achieved it will form a model for the states.

What other matters may be recommended remains to be seen, but those mentioned are full of live interest, and some of them will bring the two wings

adjournment of the special session. Johnson was a Republican. Thompson is a Democrat. His appointment to fill the vacancy was made Nov. 10 by Governor Burke, who is a Democrat. Thompson is one of the leaders of his party in his state, but his officeholding has been confined to county offices. In the lower house a new representative will take the place of William Lorimer of Chicago, who was elected United States senator last spring by the Illinois legislature. However, the Republicans will continue to have a majority in both branches.

Practically a new face in the lower house will be James H. Cassidy, selected last April to succeed Theodore E. Burton, who was elected United States senator from Ohio last winter. Burton had represented the district in Ohio comprised of the city of Cleveland.

Cassidy was elected to succeed him last April. He was present during a part of the special session and had the distinction of being the youngest representative.

The re-election of Speaker Cannon at the beginning of the special session does away with an exciting and interesting event that usually comes before the lower house of a new congress.

The new executive offices will be the most spacious yet provided for a chief magistrate of the United States. Since August workmen have been adding to the old executive offices of the White House proper. The new addition is built over the old Roosevelt tennis court. The court lay just outside of the old presidential offices, and it was there that President Roosevelt and his so-called "tennis cabinet," composed of the younger members of the administration, took their exercise. The cost of the new offices, combined with the cost of the offices erected during the administration of President Roosevelt, will represent an actual outlay of about \$100,000, exclusive of the cost of tearing down the old building preparatory to erecting the new addition.

Three new men in the administration circle will be Mr. Lee McClung, recently appointed treasurer of the United States by President Taft; C. D. Norton, a late accession to the treasury department, as an assistant secretary, and Professor A. P. Andrews, director of the mint.

For a number of years multimillionaires of the land have been gravitating toward Washington as a residential city during the winter and early spring. Every year it has been becoming more and more a city of magnificent homes. More than 350 mansions of imposing architecture, with furnishings in accord with the exteriors, have added to the beauty of the capital in the last few years. One approaching completion is that of Mrs. S. S. Wyeth on Massachusetts avenue. Its style is of Louis XVI, design, and the interior decorations are most elaborate and unique. It is only one of many.

The broad avenues that radiate from the capitol building are miles of mansions such as few cities can present.

HOMER RIVERS.

In his speech at Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 26, while he was en route to New Orleans, President Taft extended an invitation to the twenty-two governors who were accompanying him down the river to attend a third conference of governors at Washington in December of this year.

The first conference of governors occurred at the national capital May 13, 1908. Of the number invited thirty-two reported. New Mexico, Arizona, Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico were also represented. Others came in later.

The second conference was held in Washington, Dec. 8, 1908. Mr. Taft was present and was also represented from Canada.

The conference next month is for the purpose of taking up the questions discussed at the previous conferences—conserving the natural resources of the country by preserving the forests, irrigating arid lands and improving the waterways. In referring to the omission of congress to make any appropriation for the meeting of the governors, President Taft told the governors at Memphis that they need not stay away on that account, as the White House latchstring would be where every governor could put his hand on it.

The National Civic Federation will be in session next month in Washington, and the president said he would like the governors to meet the civics and get acquainted.

The idea of a conference of governors did not originate with President Roosevelt, but was the aftermath of a proposition made by William George Jordan, formerly editor of the Saturday Evening Post, in 1907. The Jordan idea was more far-reaching than the conferences already mentioned, and it is not to be confounded with the meetings held in Washington. Mr. Jordan communicated his idea to President Roosevelt, who soon thereafter called the conferences held during his administration. The Jordan suggestion was for a house of governors, and it is so denominated in the pamphlet issued by him in 1907. The scope of the institution proposed by Mr. Jordan is stated concisely in his pamphlet as follows:

"It is proposed that the governors of the forty-eight states meet annually for a session of two or three weeks to discuss, consult and confer on vital questions affecting the welfare of the states, the unifying of state laws and the closer unity of the states as a nation. The house of governors would have no lawmaking power, nor should it ever aspire to such power. Its force would be in initiative, in inspiration and influence. The governors would seek to unite on a general basis of action

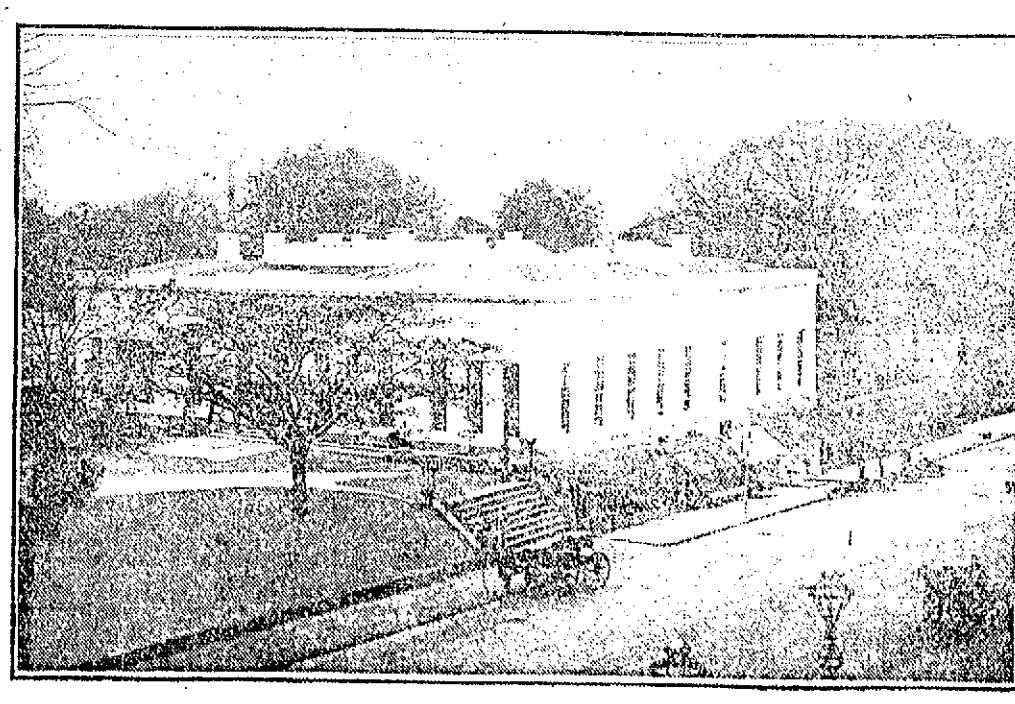
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The conference of governors in Washington next month has no connection, it should be understood, with the proposition of Mr. Jordan. They will discuss the conservation propositions which the other conferences considered, and especially the deep waterway question that was considered at New Orleans. Chief among the interested governors on this question are Governor Denen of Illinois, Governor Quigley of New Hampshire and possibly Ex-Governor Blanchard of Louisiana.

SANDFORD OWENS.

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It is also the Jordan idea that the meetings of the house of governors shall be annual and that the place of the meeting shall not be in Washington, but successively in state capitals selected by vote of the house or by decision of a committee. It also suggests that the president of the United States have no part in the meetings. Mr. Jordan's proposition was referred to an executive committee of



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SERIOUS CHARGE

Italian Boy is Accused of Using a Blackjack

Haverhill, Nov. 30.—Crouching trolman Shute heard that the boy was beneath a bed in an upper story room of a house on Ayer st. at midnight, Sunday. Angelo Del Rosso, charged with assaulting a fellow countryman with a blackjack, a knife, and his teeth, was found by Patrolman Howard R. Shute, who had a warrant for his arrest. He was locked up after his father had told the police that the prisoner was over 17 years of age.

The affair occurred on River street late Sunday night, when Del Rosso became enraged at being asked about some money he had borrowed from Peter Grassi to buy clothing. The wordy encounter was brief, and without warning, it is alleged, he pulled the blackjack from his pocket and struck Grassi on the head.

Other Italians who witnessed the blow quickly closed in on the youth and he was disarmed. He is said to have then pulled a knife from his pocket and made a lunge, but that before he could execute his designs the weapon was wrested from him and he was borne to the ground. As the others attempted to restrain him, he wiggled toward Grassi and sunk his teeth in the man's leg.

As soon as he was released he ran away, but by that time the news of the fight had reached the police. Pa-

duct of the preacher, according to their sentiments on the question at stake. Farmers voted largely against the amendment. Most of the larger counties went heavily against the measure. While women and children were at the polls in many places their presence did not affect the votes to any extent.

Oscar Hall, tax commissioner of Baldwin county, fell dead at his home in Bay Minette a few minutes after voting for the amendment. Physicians said death was due to heart disease.

REV. FR. GROLEAU

Eminent Dominican to Give Mission Here

A mission for women will be held next week at Notre Dame de Lourdes parish and will be conducted by Rev. Fr. Groleau, O. P., formerly superior of the Dominican monastery at Fall River and now apostolic missionary to the diocese of Springfield. The mission is held preparatory for the feast of the Immaculate Conception, which falls on December 8.

Rev. Fr. Groleau is one of the most eminent members of his order in the United States and one of the best French Catholic speakers in the country. He will preach his first sermon next Sunday night.

A week's mission for the same purpose and also for the young women, will be opened in St. Joseph's parish also on the same day. At St. Louis' church, a triduum only will be held.

The Forty Hours' devotion in St. Joseph's parish will be held next week, beginning next Sunday at high mass at St. Joseph's church.

At all the masses at the Sacred Heart church Sunday the pastor, Rev. T. W. Smith, O. M. I., said that there would be a retreat for the women of the parish, married and single, commencing on the feast of the Immaculate Conception, Wednesday, Dec. 8th, and closing Sunday evening, Dec. 12th.

This evening at 7:30 o'clock the children of Mary sodality will hold its regular monthly meeting in the lower church. All the members are invited to be present.

At St. Peter's church, the newly formed sodality of the Immaculate Conception will meet this evening under direction of Rev. W. George Mullin. There will be a reception into this sodality on December 8th.

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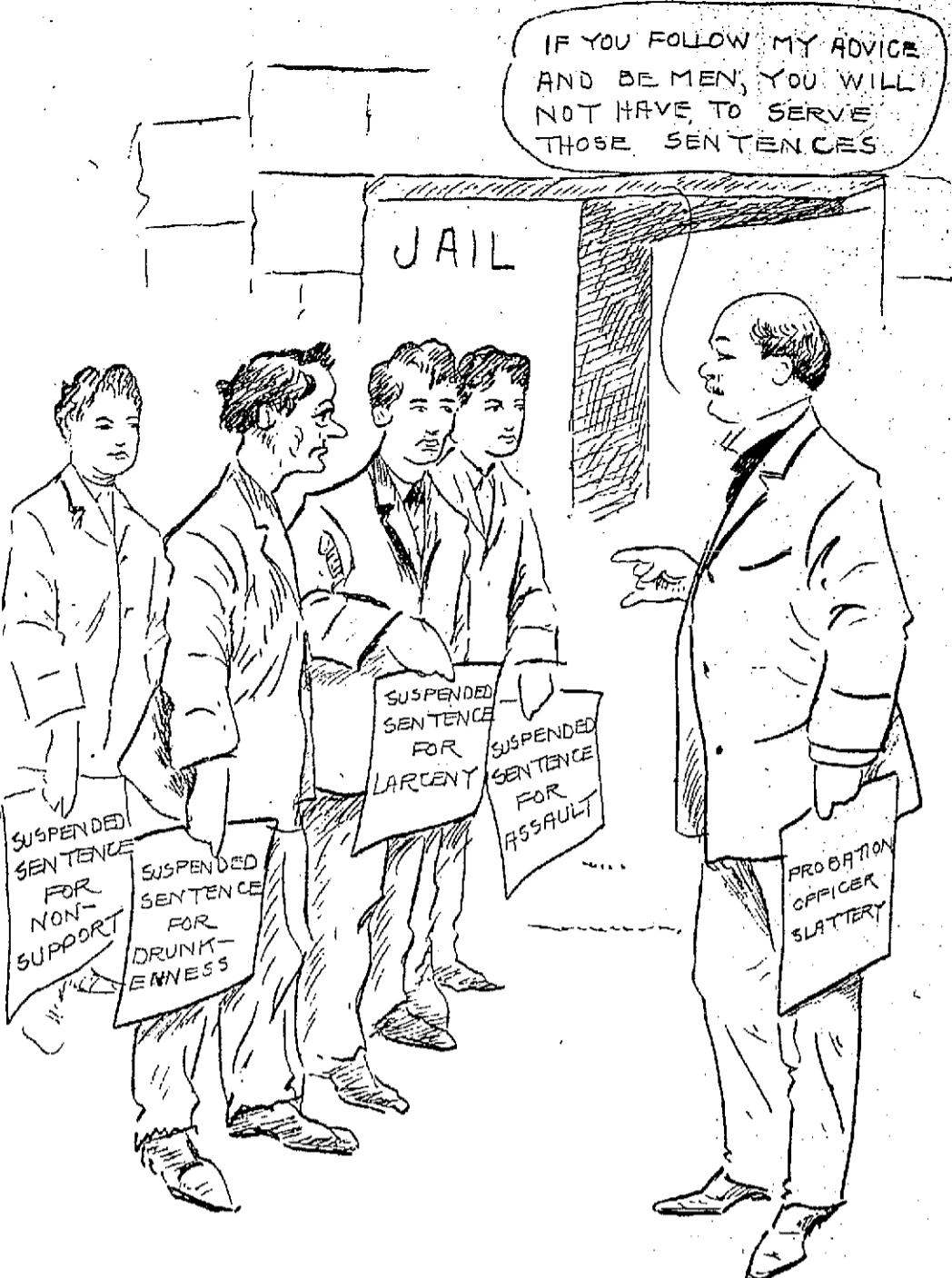
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13 LIVES LOST ARSON CHARGED ARTIST'S WIFE

In Wreck of Coasting Schooner

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Nov. 30.—Thirteen lives are believed to have been lost in the wreck of the coasting schooner Little Jap, the battered hull of which was washed ashore at Red Cliff on the west coast of New Foundland, on November 9 and it is believed that she was one of the many victims of the great gale of November 10.

Six widows and fifteen children are left helpless by the wreck.

The vessel registered 50 tons and carried 700 quintals of dry fish. The government had sent out two steamers to search for the Little Jap since the great storm.

At all the masses at the Sacred Heart church Sunday the pastor, Rev. T. W. Smith, O. M. I., said that there would be a retreat for the women of the parish, married and single, commencing on the feast of the Immaculate Conception, Wednesday, Dec. 8th, and closing Sunday evening, Dec. 12th.

This evening at 7:30 o'clock the children of Mary sodality will hold its regular monthly meeting in the lower church. All the members are invited to be present.

At St. Peter's church, the newly formed sodality of the Immaculate Conception will meet this evening under direction of Rev. W. George Mullin. There will be a reception into this sodality on December 8th.

Mr. Parker astonished hunters recently when he announced he had found a herd of ibex in the almost inaccessible parts of Mount Eagle. Because of his experience as a hunter and guide, his statement was not openly scoffed but proof was wanted. He returned to the mountain and shot three specimens that were brought out. M. Brousson, director of the opera, had no alternative but to comply with his discovery this week. Mr. Parker said:

"We went into the Cornucopia mountains in 1906 after bear, having been in the habit of following that sport every spring. We first located three ibex but later my brother found about 26 in all. The animals have not been molested, so far as I know, since the fall of that year, when I killed the specimens referred to for scientific purposes. We have always refused to guide hunters to their feeding grounds."

"This country is now filling up with settlers and in my opinion it will only be a short time until somebody runs into the haunts of the little herd of ibex, the only animals of that species known to exist on the continent. Some protection should be afforded them, and I stand ready to give the proper officials all the information we have gathered. If the ibex are not protected they will probably soon disappear. I think a game preserve should be thrown around this mountain at once."

DEXTER SMITH DEAD

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Dexter Smith, 20 years ago one of the best known musical critics in the country, and the author of several songs which had a wide popularity, died Sunday night at his home in the Back Bay, having dropped dead while walking on the street.

Mr. Smith was born in Salem in 1885. Among his popular songs were "Put Me in My Little Bed" and "Cross and Crown."

Three Men Placed Under Arrest

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—An alleged conspiracy to defraud insurance companies by removing a stock of goods from a Summer street fur store and then setting fire to the store was unearthed by the police last night, who placed under arrest Samuel I. Gordon and Morris Rudwick on the charge of arson, and Benjamin Davies, charged with being an accessory, and later, through being recovered some \$5000 worth of furs hidden in a shed in Dorchester.

The arrests are the result of a fire at the premises of Samuel I. Gordon & Co., fur dealers, 119 Summer street, on June 19 last. Following the fire a claim of \$3500 insurance was put in by the firm. The insurance inspectors on investigation found only remains of empty boxes in the store supposed to be well supplied with furs.

The police claim to have received their first intimation of the real state of affairs through Morris August, one of the firm. As a result the arrests were made late yesterday.

Last night the police went to Interstate street in Dorchester and recovered a part of the \$20,000 stock which was supposed to have been in the store at the time of the fire, the value of the seizure last night being about \$6000. The police will make further search for it today.

KING ATTENDS OPERA

PARIS, Nov. 20.—King Manuel of Portugal attended a performance at the opera last evening, and this was made the occasion of another exploit by "King" Palitul, secretary of the Electricians union. A few minutes before the performance began he sent an ultimatum to the management that the salaries of the electricians must be increased or the current would be cut off. M. Brousson, director of the opera, had no alternative but to comply with the demand.

King Manuel paid a visit yesterday afternoon to Versailles and later enjoyed a stroll in the boulevards.

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Is Ready to Forgive Her Husband

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—"If Howard wants to make up, all he has to do is to take me in his arms and I will forgive everything and forget all our troubles," said Mrs. Howard Chandler Christy, wife of the artist, at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Hall, here, yesterday, as she discussed the status of the Christy family differences.

She expressed this willingness to forgive and forget when informed that Mr. Christy had said in Zanesville, O., where he is contesting the habeas corpus proceedings brought by his wife to recover possession of their 10-year-old daughter, Nathalie, that she must take the first step toward reconciliation.

Mrs. Christy added that she was willing to do almost anything to effect the reconciliation, except to go to Zanesville to live.

Zanesville and some of her husband's relatives there, she said, had caused most of the trouble.

"I did not want any court proceedings," continued the artist's young wife, vigorously, "and the only reason I brought them was to get Nathalie back. I want our little girl, but I want Howard more. We can all be happy together again here in the east.

"If Howard will only see things in this light we can have a happy Christmas together."

TRACTS OF LAND

MAY HAVE BEEN BOUGHT FOR NEW HAVEN ROAD

SACO, Me., Nov. 30.—Fred C. Bradbury, agent for the syndicate which is buying hundreds of acres of land in this city and Old Orchard, secured an option on a large bit of farm property on the Ferry road yesterday. In all hundreds of acres were optioned for six months.

The property is owned by Warren Scannian, Almon Wakefield, Melville Small, Joseph Bouquette, Geo. F. McMeney and Frank Church. The agent is after much more land in this section of the city. In all about \$75,000 worth has been bargained for.

While there are many rumors as to the use of the land no positive information can be obtained, although parties who claim to have information say it is for the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. It is certain that the project is one of the biggest ever known in this part of the state. It is understood that \$100,000 will be paid for land before the deal is completed.

EXPECTS NEW CHURCH

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—On the eve of John D. Rockefeller's departure for the east, Rev. W. W. Bustard, pastor of the Euclid Avenue Baptist church, announced that night at the annual banquet of the Mason club that he expects a great institutional church to be erected in the near future on the site of the present structure.

"And there will be a place in it for resolving the bad as well as the good," said he.

Both Rev. Charles A. Eaton, former pastor, and Dr. Bustard, present pastor, have urged upon Mr. Rockefeller the need of such an edifice and it is believed that Dr. Bustard's prediction of a structure of the kind is inspired.

ADMIRAL PHELPS

Received Sealed Orders
From Washington

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—It was learned last night on what appears thoroughly good authority that Rear Admiral Phelps, commandant of the Mare Island navy yard, received a telegram from Washington yesterday which is in the nature of sealed orders, since it is not to be opened until Dec. 1, and it is believed to relate to the Nicaraguan situation.

The arrival of the message and a short one preceding it which set the time for its perusal is given peculiar importance because the gunboat Princeton, which sailed from Bremerton navy yard Sunday en route to Corinto, will arrive at Mare Island early on Dec. 1, to load stores and ammunition.

The unopened message, it is stated, is the longest received at the Mare Island navy yard since the Spanish-American war. Navy yard officials believe it to be orders relative to preparations for naval activity, presumably on the Nicaraguan situation.

According to orders received by the Princeton the gunboat is to proceed to Corinto with all possible speed and join the Vicksburg now at that port.

PHILIP W. AYRES

SAYS WHITE MOUNTAIN REGION IS A FOREST COUNTRY

"The White Mountain region is naturally a forest country," says Philip W. Ayres, in an article on the Commercial Importance of the White Mountain Forests, which the U. S. forest service has just published in circular form.

"The rocky soil, steep slopes, and high elevations prevent the use of the land for agriculture, except in a few favored places. The forests that cover the mountains are partly primeval, partly culled, and in places cut clean by the axe. In many places they have been injured severely by fire. Their resources are of great and far-reaching value, for their use extends not only throughout New England, but also in the form of newspaper manufactured from spruce and in other manufactured products, throughout the entire country.

"The persistent widespread advance in the price of timber products has been felt throughout the land. It has already affected directly all forms of business that deal primarily with wood, such as the building trades, the woodworking factories, ties for railroad construction and repair, and mine props, and indirectly other businesses, such as farming, in which the cost of a barn or a wagon is much greater than heretofore. It is confidently asserted that the rise in the price of lumber which marks the opening of the present century is the beginning of a greater and more rapid rise which is to come, and the suffering which will result from the progressive failure of our timber was faintly foreshadowed by the recent temporary scarcity of coal.

"There has been reckless waste of the vast forest wealth of the nation, which is still going on, but changes for the better are being made in important directions. The more thoughtful lumbermen see the issue clearly and have begun to treat the forest more conservatively. Some have bought up large tracts against the coming scarcity. The government has established national forests in the west, which will help meet the ever-growing demand for timber. In that section of the country,

"The even flow of water from mountain forests is of utmost importance. Commerce and manufacture depend upon it. The White Mountains form the great watershed of New England, one of the most important rivers of New England, each having remarkable water power, take their rise in the heights of northern New Hampshire and in portions of two adjoining counties in Maine. These rivers are the Connecticut, the Merrimack, the Saco, the Androscoggin and the Kennebec.

"The growth of many of the most progressive and populous cities in New England has depended upon the development of water powers on these rivers, so that it may be said that the financial well-being of New England hinges upon them. Moreover, each summer the mountain affords rest and recreation to many thousands of people from all parts of the country."

BUCK DEER

DISPUTED RIGHT OF WAY WITH TRAIN

FORTLAND, Or., Nov. 30.—With his head held high in air, his antlers proudly erect, and his feet planted firmly on the railroad track, a big buck deer disputed the right of way with a fast passenger train near Klamath, Oregon, on the Astoria & Columbia River railroad a few days ago. The engineer whistled repeatedly but the buck stood his ground, glaring defiance at the headlight of the locomotive. The engine won the contest and there was but little left of the deer when the engine passed, small pieces of widely scattered venison being the only evidence of the duel.

SEN. ALDRICH

SAYS PANIC COST UNITED STATES \$2,000,000,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Nelson W. Aldrich, United States senator from Rhode Island and chairman of the national monetary commission, told a representative gathering of men at the Hotel Astor last night that the panic of 1907 cost the United States more than two billion dollars. He made this declaration in addressing members of the Economic club of New York, which was holding its annual banquet with the monetary commission and ex-Ambassador Henry White and Ambassador

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do David Jayne Hill as the guests of honor.

As he emphasized the necessity for change in the monetary system of this country, Senator Aldrich said:

"The disastrous results of that crisis (the panic of 1907) can never be completely measured

PRESIDENT ZELAYA WOMAN ON TRIAL

Makes Conditional Offer of Retirement From Office

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—President Zelaya has made overtures to the revolutionists intimating his willingness to retire from the presidency of Nicaragua provided the congress be allowed to select a provisional president in his stead.

This news comes from the United States consulate at Bluefields and was sent late Sunday night.

It was further said that the belligerent rights by the central government or by foreign powers in no way involves the recognition of the rebellious government as a separate political organization, but only implies that the laws of war are to prevail in the military operations undertaken for the purpose of suppressing the rebellion and restoring the supremacy of the national government.

These views it is believed are shared by the officials of the state department who have no doubt of the untruthfulness of the killing of Cannon and Groce, and whatever action may hereafter be taken with respect to indemnity or otherwise will be based on this theory.

A CITY EMPLOYEE ANOTHER ARREST

Asks That His Salary be Cut

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Comptroller Metz was surprised yesterday by the receipt of a request from an employee of the city that his salary of \$1500 a year be reduced. Jacinto Costa, at 1810 West Twelfth street, Brooklyn, made the proposition to the comptroller in a letter dated on Saturday.

He has served as an assistant corporation counsel in the bureau of street openings in Brooklyn since 1897. Last year he brought a suit for the recovery of \$2000 in damages against John P. Dunn, the head of the bureau, for an alleged statement that he should be dismissed from the bureau for incompetency.

In his letter to Metz, Costa says:

"I believe that my salary should be reduced from 10 to 15 per cent, although it is true that my duties may be regarded as important, because I pass on the legality of matters involving more than \$8,000,000 annually of the city's money."

Costa suggests a wholesale reduction of salaries "in the various departments, not excluding the comptroller's office," and declares that there are many men in the finance department receiving \$5000 or \$6000 a year "who do not give services which, at a liberal appraisal, could be valued at one-tenth of that amount."

LEGAL OFFICERS

Do Not Agree With General Grant

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—General Frederick Grant's reported utterances regarding the killing by President Zelaya of the two Americans, Cannon and Groce, probably will not be subject for action by the secretary of war.

Legal officers of the government, however, well versed in international law, take a view of the matter entirely at variance with that of Gen. Grant, and hold that there could be no legal or other justification for the killing of Cannon and Groce. A high legal authority in those matters said today that the general rule appears to be that forces engaged in insurrections within a state are entitled to belligerent rights when the insurrection has reached the stage of an organized rebellion so that the central government is required to resort to warlike measures in order to quell the same. Weston's International Law lays down the doctrine that whether the struggle is a war or is not is to be determined not from the relation of the combatants to each other, but from the mode in which it is carried on.

INTERNATIONAL SINGLES.

A. F. Wilding, New Zealand, beat Maurice McLoughlin, United States, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Norman E. Brooks, Victoria, beat Melvin Long, United States, 6-4, 7-5, 8-6.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

MRS. C. M. ROBINSON of the Lowell School of Dressmaking, Boston, opened parlors at 127 Wyman's Exchange, Tel. 2100.

A PRIVATE HOME for babies before and during confinement. Infants adopted. 52 Vine St., Nashua, N. H.

MRS. J. J. CAHILL, the dressmaker formerly of 179 Pleasant st., can be found after December 1st, at 22 Central Ave.

NOTICE—Will the driver of the carriage that on Tuesday eve., Nov. 23, knocked down and seriously injured James Bagley, come forward and save further trouble? The accident occurred in Concord square and was witnessed by several bystanders to whom the party is known. Signed, James Bagley, 16 Hudson st., city.

KINNELL EMPLOYMENT OFFICE first class help for all trades; no tramps. 104 Central st. Sweet's Old Pantry.

ROOMS PAPERED, \$1.75. Will paper your room with up-to-date wallpaper for \$1.75. Samples on request. H. J. McCarthy, 641 Broadway.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands on the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking train for Lowell.

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BLACK AND RUFF ANGORA CAT. Tiger striped, lost. Return to 123 Dalton St., Reward.

GOLD CHAIN and medal lost, between Hurl St. and Lakeview Ave., by way of Central and Bridge Sts., Nov. 26. Return to the Sun office.

BOSTON WHITTLE BULL DOG lost, white head and one side of face. Answers to name of Vester. 4 months old. Reward for return to Richard.

TWO RABBITT HOUND PUPS lost Saturday, one dog had collar. Reward for return to 83 Primes St.

BEAGLE HOUND, black and tan, for sale. Call at 75 Port Hill Ave., after 6 p.m.

HUNCH OF KEYS lost. Owner's name. Call ice houses, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.

MONEY TO LOAN

NOTES OF SALARIED PEOPLE and women keeping house and others need money, easy terms. Offices in 66 Merrimack st., Boston. Don't be deceived by misleading advertisements. Investigate actual terms of others, then save money by trading here. D. H. Tolman, Room 28, 45 Merrimack St.

FOR SALE

A FEW SECOND HAND MANDOLINS, banjos and guitars can be seen in W. B. Young's Wymans Exchange, 4th floor. Elevator.

THOROUGHbred BOSTON TERRIER DOG for sale. Age 10 months, finely marked. Apply Bulman's market, 17 Priscott St.

NICE MODERN UPHOLT. PLAIN for sale, in good order, \$15 cash. Parties leaving city. 430 Lawrence St.

DRY GOODS, cigar, tobacco and candy store for sale, doing a good business. For further particulars apply to 221 Central St.

CANARIES FOR SALE, 102 Cross St.

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Watkinson and Elgin watches \$1.50. Ladies Gold Filled, \$1.50. Case, \$2.00.

New York Standard \$5. Watch, \$1.50. Watches Cleaned, 50¢; Metal Springs, 50¢. I guarantee to save you from 25 to 50 cent on all goods. Deposit taken. Goods laid by.

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THE WEATHER
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EXTRA POLICE AT WORK

Report of Plot to Assassinate John D. Rockefeller

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—Acting upon information given by a man who said he overheard a conversation in which plans to assassinate John D. Rockefeller were discussed, East Cleveland police guard Forest Hill, the oil magnate's home, all night. Several suspicious men were ordered away from the place. The police of Cleveland and other towns in this vicinity are working on the matter. The information was given by Sawyer Smith of Minerva, Mo., who claims to have heard the plot being hatched by two men at Alliance, O., Sunday night. Smith said he overheard two men in restaurants make the conversation.

KILLED BY AUTO

Woonsocket Milkman Was Run Over by Machine

WOONSOCKET, R. I., Nov. 30.—Leroy C. Jillson, a milkman, aged 28, unmarried, was run over by an automobile on Main street this morning. He died at the Woonsocket hospital at 11:35. The chauffeur, Lawrence P. Fahey, was not arrested. He presented himself to the chief of police this afternoon.

THE FIEDLER CASE SEVERAL KILLED

Taken Under Advice-
ment by the Court

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Several persons are reported to have been killed today in a wreck on the Pennsylvania track elevation at West 21st and South Rockwell streets. Two freight cars are said to have rolled down the embankment burying a number of workers.

RECEIVERS' CERTIFICATES

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 30.—The bondholders committee and all others interested agreeing thereto Federal Judge Waddill in the Norfolk & Southern railway receivership litigation has directed the issuance of \$442,865 in additional receives certificates for the purchase of the rolling stock demanded at once by reason of increased commercial development. The new issue is to be for one year subject, however, to the right of anticipated payment at 101 upon thirty days' notice. The bonds are to be sold at not less than par and accrued interest.

MAE WOOD CASE

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Ex-Senator Thomas Platt's ill health again today caused a postponement of the trial of Mae C. Wood, accused of forgery and perjury in connection with her recent suit against the former United States senator whom she claimed to have married.

DESTROYED BY FIRE

NEWPORT, R. I., Nov. 30.—The bathing pavilion at Easton's beach, one of the chief resorts of the summer excursionists, was destroyed by fire today.

LEFT GREAT FORTUNE

PARIS, Nov. 30.—A special from Havre today says that Marie Mallet, an aged cook, died suddenly, leaving her heirs a great fortune which had been left her by a brother, a California "forty-niner."

TO KEEP HIS POSITION

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—An announcement was made today by Isidor Huzara, minister designate from Nicaragua that Doctor Roman who recently arrived in the United States not to succeed Señor Rodriguez as charge d'affaires of the legation. Dr. Rodriguez, it was stated, will continue in that capacity.

David P. Maloney, son of Police Officer Maloney, has entered Villanova College.

EVENING SCHOOL

Several Teachers Have
Been Dropped

The evening school attendance continues to shrink. Five teachers were dismissed last week and others will be dismissed this week or next. It will be remembered that the attendance at the beginning of the year, in the elementary evening schools, was 250 or 300 below last year and this was due to the enactment of a new law which went into effect the first of the present year.

Heretofore it was compulsory for those who could not read or write to attend the evening school and the age limit was set at 21. The new law sets the age limit at 18 and now the illiterate who is 18 years or over and who does not care to learn to read or write is free to stay away from evening school. The new law is not a very popular one, especially in mill cities.

The attendance at the evening high school started out stronger this year than last and the attendance is holding out well. The evening drawing school too is being well attended and the work that is being done there, especially in the art department, is productive of many favorable comments. The variety of the work being done there is almost astonishing.

BUCKLEY LOST

BY A SCORE OF 75 TO 25 LAST
EVENING

One of the most interesting pool matches of the season was held last night in the rooms of the Lowell Military band. James Buckley, the champion, lost his title when Louis Weiler defeated him by a great margin. The game was a long one and many difficult shots were made by both men. Although Buckley was beaten somebody he has played, he fell down hard and the score was 75 to 25. Weiler is now the champion and another game will be played next week.

After the games refreshments were served and Robert Green, a speaker on Spiritualism, John Green, as score keeper as in all previous games.

Buckley claims to have had an off night, but the crowd greeted the new champion with great cheers. There were about 200 present to witness the game.

REDUCED IN RANK

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—As a result of an investigation of shortages from wine casks and other packages at the Baltimore customs house a shake-up in that end of the service was announced today. The treasury department approved the reduction of John R. Montgomery, superintendent of the bonded warehouses, to a clerkship. Thomas R. Arnold, a clerk of class four, is promoted to succeed Montgomery, and some other changes are made.

BATTLESHIPS DEPART

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Departure of the battleship detachment, which had been in the Brooklyn navy yard six months, the Hudson-Fulton celebration continuing today. The battleship Connecticut cleared the harbor in the early afternoon followed soon after by the Nebraska. The gunboat Yankton was another departing war craft. The vessels are bound for the fleet rendezvous at Hampton Roads.

GONE TO HAMPTONROADS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 30.—The battleships Kansas and Georgia left the navy yard today for Hampton Roads, where they will join the other ships of the Atlantic fleet for the winter maneuvers in southern waters. Rear Admiral Edwin Wright, who will be aide for the operations of the fleet under the new order of things to be put in force in the navy tomorrow, is on board the Georgia.

TO LEAVE CLEVELAND

CLEVELAND, Nov. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller will leave Cleveland for New York this afternoon. They will spend the early winter at their city residence in New York.

Total \$3695

Business Men's Committee, Samuel E. Thompson, Chairman.

Team No. 1—P. E. Chaffloux, Capt. \$100

Team No. 2—S. E. Quin, Capt.

Team No. 3—J. P. Ramsey, Capt. 257

Team No. 4—E. F. Marden, Capt. 431

Team No. 5—C. F. Flemings, Capt. 1333

Team No. 6—W. H. G. Wright, Capt. 405

Team No. 7—G. H. Taylor, Capt. 215

Team No. 8—A. E. Hatch, Capt. 340

Team No. 9—A. F. Swanton, Capt. 444

Team No. 10—Walter Booth, Capt. 735

Total \$3695

Young Men's Committee, Walter H. Hoyt, Chairman.

Team A—Murray Pratt, Capt. \$122

Team B—W. Barris, Capt. 205

Team C—A. G. Cheney, Capt. 50

Team D—H. Stanley Cryster, Capt. 125

Team E—Theodore Pearson, Capt. 32

Team F—Lester Fleming, Capt. 74

Team G—Charles Graham, Capt. 185

Team H—Fred Howard, Capt. 87

Team I—Alban Parker, Capt. 55

Team J—F. L. Knapp, Capt. 50

Total \$1033

The following subscriptions of \$500 and over were announced, and are included in the above total:

Friend \$1000

Mrs. T. C. Entwistle, 1000

John J. Connell 500

Jesse H. Shepard 500

Pratt & Forrest 500

Bright Sears & Co. 500

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Address 50

Or will pay in full on.

Contributors to the Y. M. C. A. fund may have practically two years in which to pay the pledge. As indicated above, the payments may be made quarterly or in intervals of six months, the first not being due until next January, or they can be made when convenient within the time limit.

Archbishop Ireland's Letter

The presiding chairman, Mr. Flather, read the following letter at the luncheon today. It was from Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul, and addressed to Mr. Arthur B. Driscoll, president of the St. Paul's Young Men's Christian association.

"I beg leave to offer a subscription of \$2000 in favor of the Young Men's Christian association of St. Paul.

The Young Men's Christian association in its labors in St. Paul, so far as my observation permit me to judge, has directed itself of sectarian purposes and color, and I am assured by some of the leading members of the association that it is its firm intention to confine on these lines.

On the other hand, its social and

religious work among the young men is of great and undoubted value, and it is deserving of universal sympathy and encouragement.

With these views I am pleased to be able to give proof of the earnestness of my wishes for its increased growth and prosperity."

FUNERAL NOTICE

CON—the funeral of the late Patrick W. Cox will take place Wednesday morning from his late home, 31 Pierrepont street, at 8:30 o'clock. Funeral mass of requiem at St. Patrick's church at 10 o'clock. C. H. Molloy & Sons in charge.

LOOKS LIKE A STRIKE

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 30.—Nothing but a surrender by the Switchmen's Union of North America or the unexpected concession by the railroads to the switchmen's demands can prevent a strike of the switchmen of all northwestern railroads at 6 o'clock this evening.

At the present time there is no hope of concessions by the railroads.

"We will fight," is the expression used by President Hill of the Great Northern railroad. He said:

"We carried the men through the financial depression without a cut in pay. Every five years or so we have to meet this question and it's time now to settle it."

President Hawley of the switchmen's union declares the demands of the men reasonable. They ask for an advance of six cents per hour and double pay for all Sunday work and overtime in excess of ten hours.

INDEPENDENCE FOR PHILIPPINES

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Independence for the Philippines and Porto Rico was the principle reaffirmed by the Anti-imperialist League at its 11th annual meeting held here. Both President Moorefield Storey and Secretary Winslow who have been leaders in the movement since its inception at the close of the Spanish-American war and who were re-elected today declared that the League should devote every possible effort to resist the establishment of a colonial department and urged the Philippines to persist in demanding independence by preserving order and showing their fitness for self-government.

Among the vice presidents elected to-day were Andrew Carnegie, Samuel J. Clemens, William D. Howells, Cleopatra Miles and Miss Jane Addams.

THE COPELY MEDAL

LONDON, Nov. 30.—American Amos Bassano held today accepted on behalf of the recipient the Copley medal awarded by the Royal Society to Thomas W. Huxley, the astronomer and author of "West Nyack, N. Y." in recognition of his work in mathematical astronomy.

Y.M.C.A. CAMPAIGN A UNITED PARTY

Fund for the New Building is Stands Behind Mr. Meehan, Candidate for Mayor

Subscriptions Are Beyond the Hon. James B. Casey Urges All His Friends to Support the Democratic Candidate and Will

Tender His Services on the Stump

If any doubt had existed as to whether the democratic party is united in this campaign for mayor or not it should be removed by the interview printed below which a reporter of The Sun had with Hon. James B. Casey, this morning, at the office of the Ideal Comb company in Ayer City.

That the opposition hopes to do so this year is already common talk. It is true that I have been honored with representing a majority of the democratic party upon more than one occasion in the past.

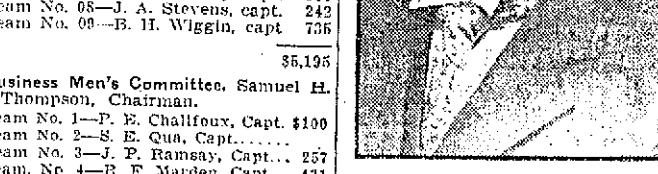
It is equally true that a minority element in the party after participating in the primaries has failed to accept in the right spirit, the choice of a non-uniform majority.

If the party is to be united this year, its unity is dependent upon that majority element of the party which has supported me in previous campaigns and not the minority.

I therefore urge every man and friend of mine who has loyalty supported me in other campaigns to do the same for Mr. Meehan's candidacy this year. They will feel the better for it, after they have deposited their ballot, for there is a contentment of mind and a clearer conscience for the man who so acts. To do otherwise will serve no good purpose and permit the re-election of a chief executive whose administrative acts should have discredited the public by this time.

I recognize that whatever political success I have achieved in this city, the foundation for such success was laid by the democratic party, and therefore, I shall always feel obligated to support its nominee for mayor, whoever he may be.

In further reply to your question as to my attitude, I will say that if the party candidates feel that I can be of any assistance upon the stump I am at their service, and I sincerely hope that Mr. Meehan will be the next mayor of Lowell.



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Other with other organizations has been taking care of the young men of this city, and I don't know of any other feature so grand, and so noble in helping us as this movement of the Y. M. C. A. I tell you, gentlemen, it is God's work. It is a noble work and time and time again have we needed your aid and assistance. What an adjunct to the temperature sentiment of Lowell will this great Y. M. C. A. be! It will be immeasurable! You can't imagine what will be. And I hope God will bless you for your work and give us the institution that is so sadly needed here in Lowell for the young men, yes and the old men too. It reminds me of a story. An Irishman was asked one day what part of the old country he came from. He said, "There is no more north, nor east, nor west, nor Ireland." we are not Yankees, we are not French, we are not English, we are citizens of Lowell, American citizens, and that is why we want this right here. For seventeen years in charge of the reading room and ten years over yonder, some work certainly has been done to the young men and for the young man, without this great adjunct which will be so strong. It has helped in the past. And willingly have we received the aid and the assistance of the members of the Y. M. C. A. I remember thirty years ago in Ayer's, when I was assistant foreman with Theodore Adams we got into a controversy and dispute about Methodists, Universalists, and Baptists. They were all dead on Catholics. If you erect this building it will be a monument to the city of Lowell. We are many thousand strong and we love our city, one of the best today in the United States in proportion to its population. All I can do and say will be done. I know the time is short and I have spoken too long now, but I am glad to meet you and I wish good luck and God's speed to this movement for a new Y. M. C. A. building."

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6 O'CLOCK**THE MEDICAL CASE****For Alleged Larceny of Medicine Before Police Court**

The case of Paul E. Fiedler, of Mather, charged with the larceny of 422 bottles of Mathew's Syrup of Tar and Cod Liver Oil from Joseph Routhier and Adelie Delisle, of the Lowell pharmacy, which was opened on Wednesday of last week, came up on examination this morning in the police court.

According to the complaint it is alleged that the defendant entered into a transaction whereby he was to give them Gauvin's syrup in exchange for Mathew's syrup.

The druggist's claim that they carried out their part of the bargain, but that the defendant instead of giving them Gauvin's gave them a substitute. The alleged substitution was not known to Messrs. Routhier and Delisle until Mr. J. A. E. Gauvin, the manufacturer of the original syrup, called their attention to the fact.

Messrs. A. O. Hamel and William H. Bent appeared for the government and the defendant was represented by Lawyer W. J. Bradley of Lawrence.

Contention of Counsel

Before any witnesses had been called Lawyer Bradley stated to the court that he had tried to have the counsel for the commonwealth state the specific act that the commonwealth intended to rely upon, but that the request had not been granted. Mr. Bradley then filed a motion with the court, which requested that the specific date be made known to him.

Lawyer Bent argued that it would be impossible to specify the date and amount of syrup taken. He said that he felt that all he was required to show was the time when the general agreement was made.

According to the complaint it is alleged that Fiedler and Routhier & Delisle entered into an agreement whereby the former was to supply the firm with Gauvin's Syrup and Routhier & Delisle were to give him Mathew's Syrup. It is further alleged that while the agreement was made at one time, goods were exchanged from time to time in varying quantities. Referring to the complaint Lawyer Bradley said that he felt that he was entitled to know the date of the alleged "from time to time" transactions.

Lawyer Bent insisted that it would be almost impossible to give the different dates on which the transactions were made, and all that was necessary was to stipulate the date of the first transaction.

Mr. Bradley said that there was no criminal act committed until the goods were delivered on agreement.

Judge Bent stated that he would rule that each delivery constituted a separate and distinct offense but as the complaint included but one count that the government should indicate the particular occasion when the offense was committed.

Mr. Bent said that all he claimed was one offense under the entire transaction.

THE STATE BOARD**To Act in the Ludlow Strike Situation**

LUDLOW, Nov. 30.—In the expectation that the good offices of the Massachusetts state board of arbitration might assist in bringing about a settlement of the labor troubles at the bagging mills of the Ludlow Mfg. Associates both parties to the controversy, 1800 strikers on one hand and the management on the other, quietly awaited developments today.

Steps have been taken to relieve the suffering of the strikers, more than 300 of whom have been evicted from tenements owned by the company. Many of them are in a condition bordering on destitution. In Springfield today by permission of the mayor young women were stationed on the principal thoroughfares soliciting funds for the relief of the strikers. In addition the various labor unions are doing what they are able to aid in the relief work.

It was announced today that there would be no more evictions before Thursday. The household goods of the strikers evicted Saturday remained piled in the streets today. The strikers claim that they are not financially able to move these goods and the selection have decided to allow them to remain in the streets for the present. Some of them are in streets just over the line in Springfield. The street department of that city has been requested to clear the streets, and it is believed that these articles will be placed in storage by the city.

All of the evicted persons have found shelter with friends.

Most of the evicted families go their cooking in the ranges which have been put out on the street and at meal times animated groups surround the family fires.

It was expected that the members of the state board of arbitration would reach town later in the day. What the attitude of the company would be was a debatable question. The strikers

HIS CHILD WIFE

Had Young Man in Court for Neglect

JUDGE HADLEY CALLED THEM CHILDREN

AndAppealed to Officer Slattery to See If He Could Do Something to Harmonize Matters

"Here's a couple of children who went away and got married; see what you can do for them," said Judge Hadley to Probation Officer Slattery in police court this morning when he turned Arthur Desrosiers and the latter's wife, Gertrude, over to the man who is generally called upon to settle the majority of marital troubles that come before the local court.

The young couple are just out of their teens and have been married less than seven months, but the wife complained that the husband did nothing towards supporting her and as a last resort she had to apply to the court for a warrant for his arrest.

Mrs. Desrosiers said that her husband never gave her any money, but a little later said, "He did give me ten cents on one occasion." Continuing, she said: "He has been getting \$2 a day and after we got married he had a store book, but after having it for about a month and refusing to pay the man, even though he had the money in his pocket, the book was taken away from him and he was refused credit."

"On Saturdays and Sundays I have had something to eat, but it was a case of starve during the remainder of the week. When I complained to him of being cold, there being no wood or coal in the house, he has told me that if I wished to keep warm that I could stay in bed."

Probation Officer Slattery, after giving the belligerent husband a little sound advice, gave him a chance to do better, but in the event of not doing so Desrosiers was given to understand that he would find himself in jail.

A Wayward Man

Cornelius J. Donovan admitted that he was drunk when arrested yesterday. Patrolman Alexander McCaughey informed the court that he had seen the young man drunk two and three times a week for some time past, and furthermore that when he was under the influence of liquor he went home and abused the members of the household and that his folks were anxious that he be sent away until he will be able to do better. He was given a sentence to the Massachusetts reformatory.

Other Offenders

Edward Morris, charged with drunkenness, was sent to jail until Saturday morning in order that he might get time to think it over.

John E. Bulmer said he wasn't drunk. Special Officer Briggs said that John was. Supt. Welch said John was on parole, and Judge Hadley said continue the case until tomorrow, which means that this afternoon Bulmer will be on his way back to Bridgewater.

Michael Sullivan and Alexander Savignac, drunks, were each fined \$5.

CHARLES S. SMITH DEAD

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Charles S. Smith, one of the last of the old time merchant princes who laid the foundations of the fortunes before the Civil war, died at his home today of pleurisy. He was 77 years old. Mr. Smith was born in Exeter, N. H., and began business as a boy of 25 in a wholesale dry goods house. He retired from active business in 1857, but remained a director of the Fifth Avenue bank of New York, of which he was one of the founders, the Fourth National, the Merchants National and the Greenwich Savings bank, and a member of the executive of the chamber of commerce.

CITY CONTRACTS**AWARDED AT THE PURCHASING AGENT'S OFFICE**

The following contracts have been awarded at the office of the purchasing agent: For health department, 500 bushels of oats, Wilder & Wotton; barrel of turpentine for school department, Adams Hardware company; barrel linseed oil for school department, John C. Bennett; ten barrels of sugar for the city farm, Caleb Smith. Contracts for three cars of hay for the fire department and twenty-five cords of wood for the wood yard have not been decided yet.

FUNERAL NOTICES

KEEFE—The funeral of Mrs. Ellen M. Tomlinson Keefe will take place Thursday morning from the home of her mother, 5 Madison place at 8:30 o'clock. High mass of requiem at St. Peter's at 9 o'clock. Funeral in charge of John F. Rogers.

RYAN—The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Ryan will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 729 Westford street. A solemn high mass of requiem will be said at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

HENNESSEY—The funeral of Mrs. Mary Hennessy will take place Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from her home, No. 40 Broad street, and at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Michael's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

READY—The funeral of Thomas P. Ready will take place Wednesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, No. 69 Swift street, and at 9:30 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MALONEY—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Maloney will take place Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock from her home, No. 25 Clifford street, and at 10:15 o'clock a mass of requiem will be sung at St. Peter's church. Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

REGIER—Died, Nov. 28th, in this city, Joseph C. Regier, aged 41 years, at his late residence, 117 Grand street. He leaves his wife and three children, Edmund, aged 10, Francis, 8, and John, 5, all of whom are well.

RYAN—Mrs. Sarah Ryan, wife of Jeremiah Ryan, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, aged 64 years. Deceased was a well known resident and for the past 50 years had been a member of St. Patrick's church. Besides her husband she leaves three nieces, Mrs. Michael Doyle, Miss Elizabeth Ryan and Miss Loretta Geoghegan, and two nephews, Patrick H. Ryan and Mr. John J. Geoghegan.

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is prepared just for babies and for children that are little more than babies. It is composed of simple remedies, absolutely free from alcohol and narcotics, and is giving great satisfaction.

Try it for Indigestion, sour stomach, biliousness, constipation, the diarrhoea, cold and worms, and all the disturbances attending difficult teething, nausea, vomiting, feverishness,

Get a bottle of it today. Sold by all druggists at 25c.

GERMAN EMPEROR CITY SOLICITOR**Opened Reichstag With a Speech Says All Boarding Housekeepers Are Not Common Victuallers**

BERLIN, Nov. 30.—Emperor William opened the reichstag today by personally reading the speech from the throne. The speech dealt largely with domestic legislation and contained the important announcement that the government had prepared a measure extending the sick benefit insurance to the working class, not heretofore protected, and creating a system of insurance for the dependent relatives of deceased workers.

One of the principal tasks of the government, the emperor said, was to fortify the financial position of the empire with the means provided by the finance bill of the last session and this task would be accomplished through

the appropriation bill for 1910.

"Our possessions over sea, in Africa and the South seas," said the emperor, "are developing well. The growth of our own incomes will relieve the empire considerably of colonial expenses. The increase in the working population in the wealth of the protected districts make reform in the legal system necessary."

Reference was made in the speech to

the triple alliance.

"I nourish with confidence," said his majesty, "the hope that the three allied empires will continue to act together, using their strength for the welfare of their peoples and the maintenance of peace."

The opening of the reichstag today

was as brilliant as usual. None of the socialist members was present:

That all boarding house keepers are not common victuallers is the import of an opinion handed down by City Solicitor Duncan to the police board today. The opinion is as follows:

Office of City Solicitor, Lowell, Mass., Nov. 29, 1909.

Gentlemen—I have your letter of the 18th inst., containing several questions with regard to the construction of Section 1 of Chapter 102 of the Revised Laws, so far as it pertains to "common victuallers."

In order to "assume" to be a "common victualler" a person, it would appear, must hold himself out to the public as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers—to transient guests. One who does this cannot carry on his business without a license from the board of police or without actually being prepared to entertain such guests. All boarding house keepers are not "common victuallers" though some may be. It depends upon the attitude they assume toward the public. Many of them do not pretend to hold themselves out as ready at all times to furnish food to strangers and travelers, but reserve the right to serve only a limited number of persons or such persons as are agreeable to them and to

respectfully submitted,

William W. Duncan,
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GIVEN LIFE SENTENCES

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—A commutation of sentence from death to life imprisonment was the recommendation which the pardon committee of the executive council made today to Governor Draper in the cases of the two Chinamen, Warry Charles and Joe Guey, who were convicted with three others of murder in the first degree in connection with the Tong war in Chinatown, this city, in August, 1907. As the result of the death of four Chinamen in the shooting affray, ten Chinamen were tried for murder. One was released, one died during trial, three were granted new trials and three were executed as a result of the jury's verdict. Charles and Guey were reprieved pending investigation of the case by the pardon committee. Much evidence was offered at the hearing before that committee in support of allegations that the evidence at the trial was not trustworthy.

While the pardon committee was convinced of the unreliability of some of the evidence, it did not feel that it was sufficient to free the two Chinamen absolutely.

BATTERED BY SEAS

NORFOLK, Va., Nov. 30.—Battered by mountainous seas in a north-west gale throughout last night, the German steamer Brewster, which struck on the inner diamond shoals Sunday night while bound from Kingston, Jamaica, to New York, had this morning changed her position to some extent. With the seas still breaking over her, making it impossible for wrecking expeditions to approach the stranded vessel, chances of saving the Brewster seemed early today to be growing less.

From the Hatteras shore the Brewster appeared full of water. The wrecking steamer Colley from Norfolk and the revenue cutter Onondaga were forced to shelter last night and were nowhere to be seen this morning.

SUDDEN DEATHS \$15,000 DAMAGE

May Have Been Due to Fire Occurred in Ayer This Morning

AMER., Nov. 30.—Fire today on Mechanics street in the business center of this town destroyed the cedar and vine manufacturing plant of the Haynes-Piper Co. and threatened for a time to spread through the town.

The Haynes-Piper plant, a large wooden factory, was destroyed in less than an hour.

All was called from Fitchburg. The loss is estimated at \$15,000.

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SMITH—Mrs. Sarah (Livingston) Smith died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Willard L. Bailey, in Releigh, aged 55 years, six months and 28 days. She was the widow of the late Luther Smith, and was a resident of this city until the time of his death. She was a member of the First Baptist church many years ago, later transferring her membership to the Branch Street tabernacle, of which she was a worthy and consistent member. She is survived by three sons and one daughter, Calvin L. Alfred L. Fred A. and Mrs. Caroline Bailey.

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FUNERALS

WILSON—The funeral of Mrs. Laura J. Wilson, a former resident of North Chelmsford, widow of the late Supply C. Wilson, took place last week Tuesday from the residence of her son, S. Elliott Wilson, 26 Webster street, Haverhill, Mass. Burial was in Riverside cemetery, North Chelmsford.

SHARKEY—The funeral of the late Michael F. Sharkey took place this morning from his home, 33 Lyon street, and was largely attended. The remains were taken to St. Peter's church where high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Burns. The choir under the direction of Prof. P. D

MAGISTRATE BREEN

Says Pay Envelopes Are Not For Wife to Open

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Wives have no right "tyrannically to coerce their husbands to give them their pay envelopes sealed, but the husband who voluntarily turns his pay envelope over to his wife, if she is frugal and sagacious, is the best citizen in New York," according to Magistrate Matthew P. Breen.

In a lecture to a couple, in Essex Market Court, yesterday, the magistrate discussed this matter of wives running the family finances, but he denied Mrs. Annie Loudes the order she sought to force her husband, Louis, of No. 14 Forsyth street, to give a certain amount weekly for the household.

Mrs. Loudes complained that her husband, who is a mechanic earning \$15 a week, gives her only 50 cents a day to support herself and two children and run the home.

"I tell you what's the trouble," the husband interposed. "My wife wants me to turn my pay envelope over to her every Saturday night sealed. She wants me to give her every cent I earn and make me beg her to hand me out a nickel every time I want a cigar, a glass of beer, or car fare. I don't think that's a respectable position for a husband and father to occupy."

"You want too much," said Magistrate Breen, turning to the complaining wife. "To require your husband to turn his unopened pay envelope over to you each week would amount to tyranny of the sort most dangerous to the perpetuation of the home as the sacred institution it is today. A wife has no right to make such demands of her husband. The husband is the sole owner of the fund, and has the only right, perhaps, to examine the contents of an envelope representing his recompense for his daily toil.

"While I cannot sanction the doctrine of a wife compelling her husband to turn over his pay envelope intact to her, it is my firm judgment that the man who does voluntarily give all of his earnings to his frugal and sagacious wife for the conduct of the household, the clothing of the children and preparing them for school and Sunday school is the ideal New York citizen."

John Stuart Mill, the eminent English political economist, it is said, was once asked what class of men in England were the happiest. He replied the mechanics who earned good wages and gave his pay envelope to his wife every Saturday night for the maintenance of his home.

"I agree fully with that sentiment, but such a doctrine is forgotten too much in this modern, bustling age. It ought to be revived, however, and it occurs to me some mighty good efforts could be expended in propaganda work designed to give this doctrine not alone general approval, but general use."

"Moreover, if a man has the right sort of wife, I see not the least objection to his allowing her full freedom in going into his pockets, while he sleeps or under any other circumstances. The trouble with my wife is she doesn't get enough when she goes into my pockets."

"Also I think it encourages regard for honesty among children to permit them to exercise reasonable freedom in getting money they need from their father's pockets. There is too wide a gulf these days between the average father and his children. The average father, I observe, does not place enough confidence in his own sons; he does not try them out enough and teach them the value of confidence and honesty."

The magistrate is against coercion, and dismissed the complaint against Loudes.

ATTACKS HIBBARD

Saunders Says He Should Not Run For Mayor

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Former Election Commissioner Charles R. Saunders last night issued another open letter to Mayor Hibbard, this time replying to the mayor's reply to his open letter of Sunday night, calling for his (the mayor's) withdrawal from the mayoralty contest.

Mr. Saunders concludes his statement that if the mayor continues in his present course nothing but infamy will be his place in history. "Insofar as you are remembered at all."

He also terms Mr. Hibbard's reference to "loyalty to the city" as the refinement of sarcasm.

The letter is as follows:

"The Hon. George A. Hibbard, 35 Beaumont street, Dorchester Centre: Dear Sir—Your letter in reply to mine of yesterday is received. I am not surprised that you attempt no defense of your violation, in disregard of all honor of your 'solemn pledge' not to be a candidate for re-election, which you publicly and repeatedly gave the voters two years ago when appealing for this support. It admits of none.

"You say that you feel it your duty to maintain your candidacy, fearing that Mr. Storrow's loyalty to the city would compel his withdrawal. Persuade me for saying that, in my opinion, for one taking the attitude that you do at the present moment, to speak of 'loyalty to the city' is the refinement of sarcasm.

"In reply to my suggestion that you have received full compensation for your labors as mayor by the salary of \$10,000 a year, you say 'there are some things in this world which mere money cannot compensate for.' Your

agreement with the city was to serve it to the best of your ability for two years for the compensation of \$10,000 a year in full. You cannot now write into this contract other compensation—least of all, the compensation of a second term which you solemnly agreed to forego in order to increase your chances of getting any term at all.

"Mr. Mayor, the role of martyr which you would assume does not fit. The people know the difference between the true and the false.

"When President John Quincy Adams, rather than use the federal patronage for his own re-election, went down to defeat, he was one. When Senator Ross of Kansas voted against the impeachment of President Johnson, thereby saving the country from the permanent weakening of the executive power, but sealing his own political fate, he was one. When Governor Greenhalge, as a member of the Massachusetts house of representatives in 1855, voted to retain a competent democratic clerk of the house, Edward A. McLaughlin, against a republican candidate for the position from his own ward in Lowell, and suffered defeat for re-election by one vote, in consequence, he was one.

"These men were martyrs for principle. They threw their influence on the right side, and the people remember them with gratitude.

"But when Benedict Arnold sought to deliver West Point to the British, when Hull surrendered Detroit without firing a shot, and when John Tyler betrayed the whole party which elected him, there was no martyrdom in store for them—nothing but infamy, and such will be your place in history, insofar as you are remembered at all. If you continue in your present course,

Yours very truly,
"Charles R. Saunders."

MAN'S HEAD

IS ASSUMING SHAPE OF LION'S CAPUT

CINCINNATI, Nov. 30.—The head of Charles Meyers, a shoe maker, 22 years old, is gradually losing its human characteristics and assuming the shape of a lion's caput. The man who is an inmate of the city hospital here was exhibited last night before the Medical Association as the victim of one of the rarest diseases known to medical science. It is known as Leontiasis acicula and only a couple of cases are on record.

The doctors declare that in a short time he must either become insane or die.

Outside of saying that they lived in Boston the women refused to talk. The address is 15 Salem street, a store, and neither of the women are known there.

Nearly \$100 was found on the women when searched at headquarters. The money was in small bunches. A small red pocketbook and a brown pocket-book were also found.

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POETS IN INTERNATIONAL WAR OVER "SERPENT'S TONGUE" POEM



NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The prospect of two celebrated poets engaging in a duel, a fist fight, or a redhot combat of words is causing literary folk in New York to sit up nights in anticipation of the fray. The belligerents are William Watson, the English poet, and Richard Le Gallienne. Mr. Watson has sailed from England vowing to meet Mr. Le Gallienne face to face and find out why he wrote a certain poem entitled "The Poet With the Coward's Tongue." Mr. Le Gallienne admits his verses were aimed at the Englishman in reply to "The Woman With the Serpent's Tongue," which he brands as ungentle in the extreme. Mr. Watson says he is coming to make Mr. Le Gallienne eat his rhymes and the latter says he is ready for any kind of argument from shoguns to boxing gloves.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT

Has Been Drawn Into the Nicaraguan Trouble

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 30.—A cable from San Jose, Costa Rica says:

The French government has been drawn into the Nicaraguan trouble in a way that promises serious consequences for Zelaya as the result of brutal outrages committed on French citizens residing in Nicaragua.

An official complaint has been lodged with the French consul-general in Costa Rica by Faustino Montiel, a Frenchman. Montiel who was manager of a farm owned by M. Menier of Paris and situated on the southeast coast of the great lake of Nicaragua, says:

"On the 22nd of October last we were surprised by a large detachment of troops commanded by a gentleman called Larlos, who we were told is an aide de camp of the president of Nic-

aragua. Immediately both Mr. Ruinart and myself were bound and gagged to the edge of the lake where after the mockery of a trial they threatened to shoot us—a threat which they repeated three times.

"As soon as we were safely in the lockup, the soldiers returned to sack the farm, wresting the keys from the housekeeper and carrying off all objects of value on which they could lay their hands, some of which we recognized later in Tortuga. We had to regain possession of our own horses by purchasing them from those to whom they had sold them.

"During the operations at the farm the housekeeper was brutally treated by Larlos and it was with difficulty that she saved herself from being killed. They completely stripped the farm, not taking into account the French flag which was at the time hoisted over the house."

COL. ROOSEVELT SWEEPING BILL

Saw Mandi Warriors Kill Lions

LONDIANI, British East Africa, Nov. 30.—Col. Roosevelt, Kermit Roosevelt, Edmund Heller and Leslie A. Tarlton arrived here today from Guas Inghish plateau. All are in splendid health. Col. Roosevelt expressed himself as delighted at again meeting R. J. Cunningham and members of the American party who awaited him here. The former president is greatly elated over the success of the hunt on the plateau.

Among the sights witnessed was a display of lion killing with spears by Mandi warriors. The exhibition was thrilling.

This evening the party will proceed to Njoro, where they will be the guests of Lord Delamere on the latter's ranch until Dec. 10, when they will proceed to Nairobi.

DUKE THEODOR DIED AT BEYREUTH FROM KIDNEY TROUBLES

BEYREUTH, Bavaria, Nov. 30.—Duke Karl Theodor of Bavaria died today from kidney trouble. Duke Karl never figured prominently in military or political affairs but studied medicine and became a famous eye specialist. He maintained several private hospitals where the poor were treated free and did much to introduce some sort of sanitation into the homes of the mountaineers. He was the head of the ducal line of the Bavarian house. One of his sisters, the Empress of Austria, was murdered in Geneva. Another sister married the Duke D'Alembert and was buried to death in the Paris charity fire. One of his daughters is the wife of Crown Prince Albert of Belgium and another daughter married Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria, a grandson of the Prince-regent and who probably succeeded to the throne upon the death of the King of Prussia.

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The objects of the board are: First, to frame rules to govern international championships; second, to fix weights for such championships; third, to decide who is entitled to claim championships; and fourth, to supply officials and trophies to recognized championships.

SPECIAL ELECTION ORDERED JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Nov. 30.—Governor Hadley issued a call last night for a special election in the six congressional districts of Missouri for January 25, 1910, to fill the vacancies caused by the death of Congressman David A. DeArmond, who was buried to death in his home at Butler, Mo., last week.

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THE DAVIS CUP

Is Retained by the
Australians

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Nov. 30.—The Australian defenders retain the Dwight Davis challenge cup, having defeated the Americans in the final match today of the international tennis tournament. The play was in singles and the Australians made a better showing than in the earlier match.

The score:

International Singles.
A. F. Wilding, New Zealand, beat Maurice McLoughlin, United States, 3-6, 8-6, 6-2, 6-3.

Norman E. Brooks, Victoria, beat Melvin Long, United States, 6-4, 7-5, 8-6.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—By inaugurating his comprehensive plan of reform in the navy department tomorrow, Secretary Meyer will forestall probably all attempts at congressional reformation of the department for the present. At this time he will ask only that the bureau of equipment be abolished, which can be accomplished by congress alone.

A year hence if his reforms are found to be as satisfactory in practice as they appear on paper he will ask congress to make permanent the changes by enacting them into law.

Legislation is particularly desired in order to allow the secretary to name any officers he may desire as his four aides, one for operation of the fleet, a second for material, a third for personnel, and a fourth for inspection. At present he is limited to the higher ranking officers.

The position of aide of operations of the fleet is generally regarded as likely to become the most important assignment in the navy. Upon this officer in time of war would fall the duties performed by the strategy board during the Spanish-American war and by Assistant Secretary Fox during the Civil war.

Secretary Meyer intends to appoint younger men to the positions of commanders and captains in the navy yards. Their tenure of office will be three years at least and instead of making it an "easy snap" for officers who want to round out their careers the commanders in the future will be men who will later go out in command of ships.

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SENATOR BURKETT

COUNT SEES ROCKEFELLER

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—Count P. A. De Vries was successful yesterday in his effort to see John D. Rockefeller in reference to draining the Zyndzer Zee, Holland, and opening up the bottom of that body of water to truck farming.

The count is the proponent of this idea and desired to interest Mr. Rockefeller to the extent of financing the proposition.

In previous efforts to reach Forest Hill, the home of Mr. Rockefeller, it is said the count was repulsed, and on one occasion shots were fired at his automobile, it is reported.

Yesterday the count was admitted to the grounds at Forest Hill. He talked with Mr. Rockefeller while following him around the golf links. The count left for New York last night on the Twentieth Century Limited after spending his time with his friends that he had interviewed.

ART OF SELF-DEFENSE

LONDON, Nov. 30.—With a view to the further encouragement and promotion of the art of self-defense, the newspaper Sporting Life, with the Earl of Lonsdale's approval and the promise of his assistance, has started a movement for an international board, in which Great Britain and the United States each will have two representatives and Australia and France each.

TOWN REFUSES LICENSES

NORTH KINGSTON, R. I., Nov. 30.—Despite the vote for license at 11 o'clock yesterday the town council yesterday refused to grant three permits. These were the only applications although the town is entitled to eight saloons.

Some members of the council say

they will resign before granting any

permits to sell liquor. There is no way of compelling them to grant licenses, but the law leaves it in their hands.

MINE DISASTER INVESTIGATION

CHERRY, Ill., Nov. 30.—Investigation as to the cause of the St. Paul mine disaster was begun yesterday by Coroner A. H. Malm, who took identification statements of relatives and friends of victims whose bodies have been recovered from the mine.

The identity of thirty bodies was established.

NIGHT EDITION

FOR SUPPLY CHIEF

Foye Has Support of Defeated Candidates

That the democratic candidates for purchasing agent have no sores as the result of the caucuses is evidenced by the following letters which are self-explanatory:

Fitzgerald to Foye

Lowell, Nov. 28, '09.

Friend Ed.:

While I feel there is no need of writing to you inasmuch as we all agreed to support the candidate who won, I wish to convey my congratulations and to assure you that I will do all I can to help elect you. Wishing you success, I am

Sincerely yours,
Thomas J. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Foye's Reply

Lowell, Nov. 29.

Friend Thomas:

Thanks for your kind letter of congratulations. It pleased me more than a little to observe the splendid sincerity manifested by both yourself and Mr. McElholm for my success.

Sincerely,
Edward H. Foye.

As far as can be learned Mr. Markham has received no congratulations from the 700 or more blanks cast for purchasing agent at the caucuses.

McElholm to Foye

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 26, 1909.

Mr. Edward H. Foye,

Lowell, Mass.

Dear Mr. Foye:

Accept my heartiest congratulations on your splendid victory at the caucuses on Tuesday. I assure you that the good feeling which existed during the campaign for the nomination is still the same and you may count on my support in the coming election.

With the very best wishes for your success on election day, I am,

Very sincerely yours,
Wm. H. McElholm.

Mr. Foye's Reply

Lowell, Nov. 27.

My Dear William:

Your letter of congratulation at hand—with expressions of assurance

STRIKE ORDER ISSUED

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 30.—According to President Hawley of the Switchmen's union, a strike order to all railroads from Lake Superior to the Pacific coast has been issued to take effect at six o'clock this evening unless countermanded before that time.

VOTES RECOUNTED

Work Completed by the Registrars

This Noon

The recount of democratic ballots cast in the recent primaries for mayor, aldermen, etc., was concluded about 1 o'clock today. The result of the recount for mayor was the most important. It was asked for by Mr. O'Donnell. On the face of the original returns Mr. Crowley had a lead of 4 votes over Mr. O'Donnell and the recount gives Mr. Crowley a lead of 32 votes. The result of the recount, losses and gains, was as follows: For mayor—Crowley gained 3. O'Donnell lost 25. Daley gained 1. Maloney gained 6, and Meahan remained the same.

There were several changes in the count for aldermen but not of suffi-

cient importance to affect their standing.

There was no change in the ward four school committee.

Ward five city committee: John McCullough, Christopher J. Hagan and William H. Conway, who were elected under the original returns, were counted out by the board of registrars, and Augustus P. Shattuck, John C. Martin, Jr., and John F. Gleason were counted in.

The gains and losses were as follows:

Losses—Conley 1, Mulligan 3, Carr 1, Sullivan 1.

Gains—McCullough 2, McCann 3, Goggin 2, Hall 3, Martin 6, Gleason 8, Guthrie 3, McNamara 3, Hagan 1, Welch 2, Conway 2, Muldoon 4, Shattuck 20.

FIRE IN NASHUA 100 MEN RESCUED

Caused the Loss of About \$3500

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Nov. 30.—Frank Marrow, an American, was killed in a coal mine explosion at Marion, Ill., yesterday and more than 100 men were rescued with difficulty. Marrow was in that portion of the mine which received the full force of the explosion and his body was nearly incinerated before the rescuers could receive it.

More than 100 men were in the colliery when the gas blast came. There was an immediate rush for the shaft and as the cage had not been damaged, all the workers were soon brought to the surface.

Nearly a score of the men, however, mindful of the disaster at Cherry Hill, were too terrified to await the usual means of exit and climbed to daylight through the ventilating shaft.

DANIEL REED

MAN OF NOTED ANCESTRY IS DEAD

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 30.—The body of Daniel Reed, who died here Sunday night, aged 91, at the Emergency home for aged people, was cremated yesterday afternoon at the Missouri crematory. He was born in Camden, Mo., and leaves a daughter Miss Vista Reed, aged 64.

His grandfather was Gen. James Reed, who served under Washington in the Revolution. In 1840 he married Martha Frances Gray, granddaughter of William Gray of Boston, who owned 90 ships.

He was 20 years a sea captain, leaving that calling to become internal revenue agent at Boston. He was an assistant surgeon under Gen. U. S. Grant in the Civil war, after which he was a regular agent many years until he retired to the soldier's home at Danville, Ill. He came to the Emergency home nine years ago.

The F. D. Cook Lumber company's storehouse and other buildings were threatened at times. The building was covered by an insurance of \$2500.

JUDGE UTLEY

DETERMINED TO KEEP DRUNKS OFF THE CARS

WORCESTER, Nov. 30.—Judge Samuel Utley of the central district court yesterday took a hand in the effort to eliminate the presence of drunken men on suburban cars running into Worcester from the Herkies towns around the city by imposing a \$1 fine on a defendant.

In imposing the fine Judge Utley said: "If the railway authorities moved in this matter in the right direction, there wouldn't be any evil like this at all." Years ago I told the probation officers that drunken men taken from electric cars or trolleys should not be discharged without arraignment. Those men should be dealt with harshly, and the growing street car nuisance would soon pass into oblivion."

TODAY'S STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Close
Amaral Copper	86 1/2	84	85 1/2
Am Car & Fn	71 1/2	69 1/2	70 1/2
Am Cos Oil	66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am Hide & L pf	44 1/2	38 1/2	43 1/2
Am Ins Co	96 1/2	95 1/2	96 1/2
Am Smelt & R pf	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Am Sugar Rfn	118 1/2	115 1/2	118 1/2
Anaconda	47 1/2	40 1/2	47 1/2
Atchison	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Atch Pf	104	104	104
Bair Tch	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Bank Tch	118 1/2	118 1/2	118 1/2
Canadian Pa	172	172	172
C. I. Pipe pf	84	84	84
Cent Leather	45 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2
C. I. Paper	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Ches & Ohio	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Chi & G W	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Col Pub Co	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Concord Gas	180 1/2	180 1/2	180 1/2
Del & Hud	180 1/2	180 1/2	180 1/2
Den & Rio G	47	47	47
Dls Secur Co	36 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Erle	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Erie 1st pf	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Erie 2d pf	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Erie 3d pf	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Gen Elec	159 1/2	159 1/2	159 1/2
Gen North pf	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Gen No Ore cf	140 1/2	142 1/2	142 1/2
Illinois Can	146	146	146
Int Mer M	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Int Paper	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
In St Pump Co	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Iowa Can Co	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Kan City So	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Kan & Texas	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Kan & T pf	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Louis & Nash	150 1/2	149 1/2	149 1/2
Lucas Ind Co	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Misouri Pa	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Nat Lead	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2
Nat Lead pf	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
N Y Air Brake	92	91 1/2	91 1/2
N Y Central	127 1/2	125 1/2	125 1/2
N Y Central	78	77 1/2	78
No & Pac	178	177 1/2	177 1/2
No & Pacific	143 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Ohio & West	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Pennsylvania	130 1/2	129 1/2	130 1/2
People's Gas	113 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Pressed Steel	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Rt St Sp Co	49	48 1/2	49
Reading	168 1/2	165 1/2	167 1/2
Rel Iron & S	48 1/2	44 1/2	45
Rep Rr & S pf	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Rock Is	84 1/2	82 1/2	84 1/2
Rock Is pf	84 1/2	82 1/2	84 1/2
St L & S pf	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2
St L & S	74 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
St Paul	164 1/2	163 1/2	164 1/2
So Pacific	128 1/2	127 1/2	128 1/2
Southern Ry	37 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Tenn Copper	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
Texas Pac	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Third Ave	19	18 1/2	18 1/2
Union Pacific	201 1/2	199 1/2	201 1/2
Union Pac pf	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
U S Rail pf	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
U S Steel pf	89 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
U S Steel Is	123 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Utah Copper	53 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Wab R R	201 1/2	201 1/2	201 1/2
Wab R R pf	55 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Western Un	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Western Un	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
Wt & L Erle	8	8	8

OPENING DEALS

DID NOT CAUSE MUCH CHANGE IN THE PRICE LEVELS			
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The Gains and Losses Were Much Mixed—Strength Displayed By Important Stocks At Opening Brought Heavy Offerings—Features of Closing Hours Of Market

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—The active opening dealings in stocks did not cause much change in the price level. Only a few of the prominent stocks moved widely from last night's closing. The gains and losses were much mixed and the contest between the opposing speculative forces was evident.

American Sugar advanced 1 1/2%, Amal.

Copper, Anaconda, and Reading 1 and

Wabash pf. Canadian Pacific and

American Smelting large fractions. St.

Louis and San Francisco second pre-

STABBED TO DEATH

Young Woman Was Trying to Save Her Father

VINCENNES, Ind., Nov. 30.—Interfering to save her father, Jasper Burba, Miss Etta Burba, 20 years old, was stabbed to death by Oscar Savage, her sweetheart, at her home last night. Savage attacked Burba with a long knife, inflicting a gash across the forehead. Burba defended himself with a bottle and his daughter tried to protect him. Either in a fit of rage or by accident, Savage plunged the knife

AN ITCHING PALM

No Cure for It. Other Forms of Itching Preferable

There is no cure for an itching palm—the money kind. Even postmen, the new skin discovery, cannot help it. But when it comes to eczema, the most annoying of itching skin troubles, poison will stop the itching at once, and cure the worst cases in a few days. So with hives, rash, scabies, split toes, piles, and scaly scalp; all of which are different forms of eczema, accompanied by severe itching and caused by imperfect digestion and careless diet.

Poison comes in two-dollar jars, but fifty cents' worth will answer in curing any of the diseases mentioned. It can be had of any druggist. Fails & Burkshay and Carter & Sherburne make a specialty of it.

That results are immediate will be amply demonstrated overnight by the use of the experimental sample which the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City, will send free by mail in plain wrapper, to anyone who will write for it.

PANIC STRICKEN

Families Scared by Explosion of Dynamite

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Dynamite dropped down the chimney wrecked the flat of Abraham Elmich in East 13th street last night, and falling debris cut him severely about the head. His wife, with an infant in her arms, was hurled across the room, but neither was badly hurt. Twenty-five families in the building were panic stricken and fled to the street. The owner of the tenement who has been receiving "Black Hand" letters, is supposed to have been the object of the attack.

WESTFORD MAN INJURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

John Abbott of Westford was seriously injured in Lexington on Saturday afternoon as the result of an automobile in which he was riding being overturned. He received a broken collarbone, a cut on the back of the head and several bruises.

As to the charges that some of the officers have assisted in the illegal traffic in drugs, the secretary says that it is true, and it is also to be feared that among the officers there have been some who have fallen under the temptation but upon mere suspicion these officers have been discharged, and he feels confident that when the master of the house of correction admits that the "dope" habit exists among the prisoners, but not to any such alarming extent as has been represented.

Sec. White reports that of the 1500 prisoners at the house of correction not more than 40 are victims or users of drugs. He places the number between 26 and 40, although allegations have been made that approximately 300 were addicted to the drug habit.

In regard to the charges that cocaine and other forms of drug were given to the prisoners by officers at the institution, Sec. White believes

that they are unfounded, but he practically admits that the stuff has been brought to the island in surreptitious ways. Neither does the secretary believe that large quantities of drugs reach the inmates, nor does he believe that drugs are brought to the island regularly.

In his investigation Sec. White discovered that cocaine reached the prisoners through the many futile ways which the inventive minds of those afflicted with the craze have devised, and he is of the opinion that some cocaine has been given to prisoners beneath postage stamps and in the binding of books. Although he thinks part of the dope is brought in by the inmates themselves at the time of their commitment and in such a manner as to defy a bodily search, the bulk of the smuggling has been done by visitors.

As to the charges that some of the officers have assisted in the illegal traffic in drugs, the secretary says that it is true, and it is also to be feared that among the officers there have been some who have fallen under the temptation but upon mere suspicion these officers have been discharged, and he feels confident that when the master of the house of correction admits that the "dope" habit exists among the prisoners, but not to any such alarming extent as has been represented.

Sec. White recommends in his report that the 30 or 40 inmates addicted to drug be at once segregated and placed under the observation of the medical officers. He also goes a step further and recommends that the list of visitors to the island be reduced and that all officers on the island be sworn in as constables. He suggests that Mayor Hibbard make a request of the head of the Harvard or Tufts medical school, or both, to have two or more experts, preferably men who have had charge of sanitariums where drug cured are made, to make a special investigation of the conditions and report a plan, not only for preventing the growth, at least at Deer Island, of the practice, but of possibly curing such inmates as are now suffering from the habit.

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COMMITTEE ON SEWERS

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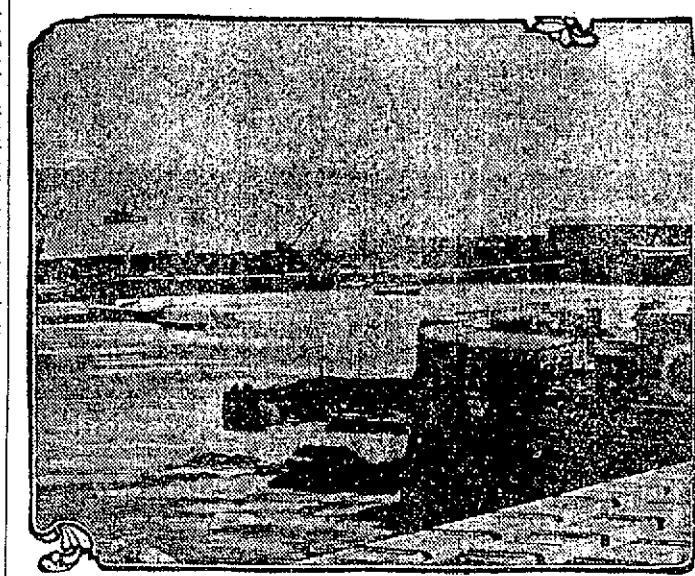
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Charles Conway Succumbed to Exposure

been river. On the farm of Grosvenor Clark they found a frail skiff and started off in it. They had not gone far when Conway fell overboard. Cosgrove, however, succeeded in getting him back into the boat and he then rowed to a little island where they got out and Cosgrove lit a fire. Conway was thoroughly chilled, but assured his companion that he would be all right in a short time. Both sat around the fire and soon fell asleep, and Cosgrove did not awaken until 10 o'clock Sunday morning. He attempted to arouse his companion, whom he believed to be sleeping, and after several unsuccessful attempts he attracted the attention of people in the vicinity, who went over to the island to find that Conway was dead. The body was then removed to the opposite shore, where it remained until the arrival of the undertaker. Although Conway died from exposure, the body was scorched in several places from contact with the fire. Cosgrove went to his home, where he is recovering.

Conway has relatives in St. John, N. E., Ballardvale and Somerville. The body is being held to await word from relatives.

Lowell, Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1909.

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Children's Winter Bonnets, nicely trimmed, 25c to 50c value.

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Wool Suiting, 27 inches wide, heavy material for winter coats, suits and pants, 39c value..... November Sale 15c Yard

Very fine Percale, light and dark colors, fine quality, 30 inches wide, 10c value..... November Sale Only 6 1-4c Yard

40 inch fine white Lawn for aprons, etc., 10c value.

November Sale 7c Yard

Yard wide Art Sateen, very handsome designs, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale Only 8c Yard

Yard wide Percale, light and dark percale, very fine quality, fast colors for house dresses and wrappers, 10c value.

November Sale Only 6 1-2c Yard

Diaper Cloth, nice soft quality remnants, of best quality, in bundles of 5 yards, for 20c a Bundle

Yard wide heavy plain Outing Flannel, gray, pink and blue, regular value 12 1-2c..... November Sale 8 1-2c Yard

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Men's Heavy Ribbed Blue Hose, good, strong quality, 25c value.

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Heavy Black and Tan Cotton Hose, 12 1-2c value.

November Sale 7 1-2c Pair

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WANT MORE PAY

CHICAGO, Nov. 30.—Telegraphers employed by the Illinois Central Railroad Co. have demanded a wage increase and improved working conditions. The demand is unlikely to be met by the four hundred operators employed on the system. The result of the vote favoring the demands was made public yesterday.

Recently the Illinois Central concurred in a demand made by the telegraphers and telephone operators who had sup-

planted telegraphers placed on an equal wage basis with the key opera-

tors. The company officials, however,

refused to make any advance in the general wage schedule.

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This is by far the largest average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

THE PROBATION OFFICER'S WORK

The showing made by Probation Officer Slattery in his report for the year gives some indication of the vast amount of good he is doing in his work to reform the people committed to his care on account of drunkenness or other offences.

Mr. Slattery has always entered into his work with a great deal of earnestness, and through his appeals for reform many hundreds have returned to the path of honor, decency and rectitude. Mr. Slattery has our congratulations on the success of his work.

WHEN ROOSEVELT RETURNS.

The country has been somewhat lonely since ex-President Roosevelt started for Africa. The people have missed his long-winded discussions on trusts and other things; how the former could be divided into good and bad, and the latter so far as they operate for evil attributed to the democratic party.

Roosevelt has had a unique experience since he left the United States, and no doubt when he returns he will be Africanized to the extent that he will not go into mourning if he finds "his policies dead and buried." They are at present in a fit condition to be submitted to the taxidermist so that they can be preserved in a museum with the animal curiosities he brings from Africa.

MEEHAN A MAN FOR WHOM ALL CAN VOTE.

There is no reason why any citizen of Lowell should not vote for John F. Meehan for mayor. It is true he is the democratic nominee, but he declares himself, first and foremost, for good government for all the people. If republicans want such government, here is their chance to bring about the change. In all his public and private utterances in his legislative record, as well as in his anti-caucus campaign, Mr. Meehan seemed to put "duty" above all else, and already he has so far expressed his intention as to say that his chief duty, if elected mayor, will be to give the people better municipal government than they now have. Hence it is, that the election of Mr. Meehan is likely to bring about some of the most important changes the people have sought for many years in the administration of affairs at city hall.

LOWELL SHOULD WAKE UP.

The city of Lawrence is to have another great woolen mill. How is it that we cannot induce the American Woolen company to locate some of its big mills in Lowell? Is it because the cotton mills control the best sites and practically the entire water power?

By the way, has any official of our city or any public body approached the American Woolen company on this point? During the past year we have given our attention mainly to running political wind mills which bring very poor returns to the people.

Lawrence is now experiencing a boom that may soon bring her up to the status of Lowell, with industries more stable and more prosperous.

Is it not time for Lowell to wake up and give her attention to something more substantial and more essential to her welfare than the empty political bugaboos with which she has been engaged during the past year?

TO AVERT A TARIFF WAR.

Congressman Mann, from Illinois, purposes at the coming session of congress to introduce a bill to amend the present tariff law so as to avert a tariff war with Canada.

It remains to be seen whether Speaker Cannon will throw the bill in the waste basket or whether the standpatters will contrive to defeat the measure in the interest of the trusts.

Mr. Mann's bills are aimed mainly at the paper and wood pulp schedules. This reopening of the tariff discussion will give the insurging republicans an opportunity to expose the injustice of the law and the unprincipled course by which it was forced through congress.

The democrats will naturally welcome the opportunity to join hands with the "insurgents" on this matter and thus, whether successful or not, pave the way for victorious elections next fall.

The speaker, however, will endeavor to buy off certain democrats by concessions, but the man who thus sells out to the republican czar will have to answer to his constituents for his recreancy.

FOR EARLY CHRISTMAS SHOPPING.

Perhaps it is not too early to suggest the advisability of early Christmas shopping. To be sure there are other events on the tapis in the meantime, and among them are the raising of a big Y. M. C. A. campaign fund, the election of a democratic mayor and a few other things of lesser importance.

But in spite of all these let the young man who intends to purchase a present for his best girl, get a line on what she would like and if at all compatible with the resources of his pocketbook, buy the present now.

To the girls who have to make a variety of presents, let us say that it is a good plan to get a piece of paper, jot down the names of the people to whom you are to give presents with the article in each case, and if these be not perishable, purchase now. Early shopping will benefit not only yourself but the girl or the young man behind the counter.

There are people who can never make up their minds what they are going to buy or to whom they will give presents until the last day, and then when they go the rounds of the stores, they find that they cannot get what they want and they have to buy something they don't want.

Why not adopt the habit of doing your Christmas shopping early? It ensures satisfaction for yourself and the recipient of the gift, while it will help to relieve the store clerks of the overwhelming rush in which they are overworked so that for them Christmas brings only fatigue and disappointment.

SEEN AND HEARD

These are the days of turkey hash and turkey soup.

You can save a lot of time by being sure where you want to go before starting.

The first time a girl is disappointed in love, she imagines she has nothing left to live for.

A woman's idea of a tactful man is one who is able to increase the admiration she has for herself.

An office seeker's love for his country is a good deal like that of a foreigner for an American heiress.

You can tell a man who has a good opinion of himself by the way he has a poor opinion of others.

A woman who runs a house filled with a big family earns a lot of money, but she never gets it.

A woman wants to get into society so she can pretend she was always there.

The average man thinks a latchkey is more important than the Ten Commandments.

The farther a man can travel away from his family the more they can fool themselves about how homesick he is.

Evil doesn't have to carry any insurance on itself if it can come out of fire, famine and plague stronger than it went in.

GETTING THE NEWS
How went the game, old friend? It seems.I'm sadly out of plumb;
I've just waked up from other dreams.
My brain is rather numb,
I know my mind is somewhat weak.
My body is the same,
Tis quite a task for me to speak.

But, say, how went the game?

Oh, let me hear the story now;

Speak up, I pray you, friend.
Just sit you down and tell me how
We played it at the end.
We won! That works a wondrous
spell.Though I am sick and lame,
I'll have no trouble getting well.
Since we have won the game!

Chicago News.

A writer who says he has seen frequent mention in the papers recently of the disease known as Pellegra, wants to know the nature of it.

Pellegra is a disease said to be caused by a germ found in corn that has been stored long enough to develop a mould. The disease is said to be prevalent in southern Europe, but recently has been discovered in this country.

The hookworm, found in certain sections of the south, is said to be the cause of a disease one of whose symptoms is profound laziness. Dr. Siles, who discovered the worm, says that persons who go barefoot a great deal may become infected with the worm through the soles of the feet. The worms congregate in the intestines and, besides being lazy, the sufferers are unnaturally hungry. The hookworm is believed to be the cause of the clay eating habit among the poorer classes of the south. The remedy is found in the use of one of the salts and a germicide.

PEOPLE OF NOTE

With more than 1500 "Dekes" in attendance, the largest college fraternity dinner ever held will be given for Commander Robert E. Peary on Saturday, Dec. 18, at the Hotel Astor by his brothers in Delta Kappa Upsilon. A Barton Hepburn will preside. The dinner is in charge of the following committee: James W. Curtis (Yale), chairman; Allan B. A. Bradley (Dartmouth), William Clifford Moore (Yale), Scott Stewart (Western Reserve), George R. Walker (Lowell).

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John G. Williams (C. C. N. Y.),
John T. Conover (Cobblers), treasurer,
and James Anderson Hawes (Yale), secretary, of 30 Broad street,
New York.

It is probable that the late E. H. Harriman disposed of more money in fewer words than any man ever did before, but there have been some short wills in England. Lord Mansfield took half a sheet of note paper to dispose of his large fortune, and Sir James Stephen used just 13 words in his will. Lord Russell left \$1,000,000 with a dozen lines, and Lord Brampton disposed of much more with 400 words.

Kohler, Cleveland's famous "golden rule" police chief, has set out on a new crusade, and for once he has all the Cleveland papers on his side. He has declared war on "gun-toters," and, as the Plain Dealer says, "even the Golden Rule apparently recognizes the danger of permitting armed men to roam at large, and suspends its mercy in the interest of Justice."

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

Under the North Star" or "A Dash

for the North Pole," an American play

plete with doings in the far north

was the attraction at the opera house

last evening. A good sized audience

was present and applauded the work

of the actors. The play tells a very

interesting tale, and the remaining per-

formances should be well attended. It

tells of the discovery of the pole and

shows the characters that inhabit the

region. The play holds a great com-

bination and includes a strong plot.

Two men loved the same woman. The

men were Lieut. Richard Wardon, U. S. N., acted by Al. F. Devitt, and

Lieut. Frank Harding, U. S. N., acted

by Robert A. Royal. The woman in

the play is "Clara Benton," taken

care of by Artie Mae Blackburn. She

was who had wonderful powers of

discernment. She it was, too, who

tossed over "Wardon" for "Harding."

But the two men went on the Arctic

expedition together and that was where

the villainous one intended to get in

his dirty work. He didn't do it, though,

for even up around the Polar regions

right and honor win the final toss.

George Summers, who has shown as

an Irish comedian, is cast in the comi-

cal part of "Harrigan," an able com-

edian. Every time that smacking good

name is mentioned the Cohen master-

piece is played joyously by the orches-

tra. There was an Eskimo maid in

the piece, too. Maxine Rosenberg

assayed the part and achieved much.

Then there was a saucy Irish girl,

"Molly Brady," whose ankles caused

some difficulty between certain sets of

sailors. Lillian Sterling acted this

part. James P. Houston was the

"Capt. Harding, U. S. N." commander of

the Arctic expedition. The other mem-

bers of the cast played their parts well.

The show will be repeated tonight

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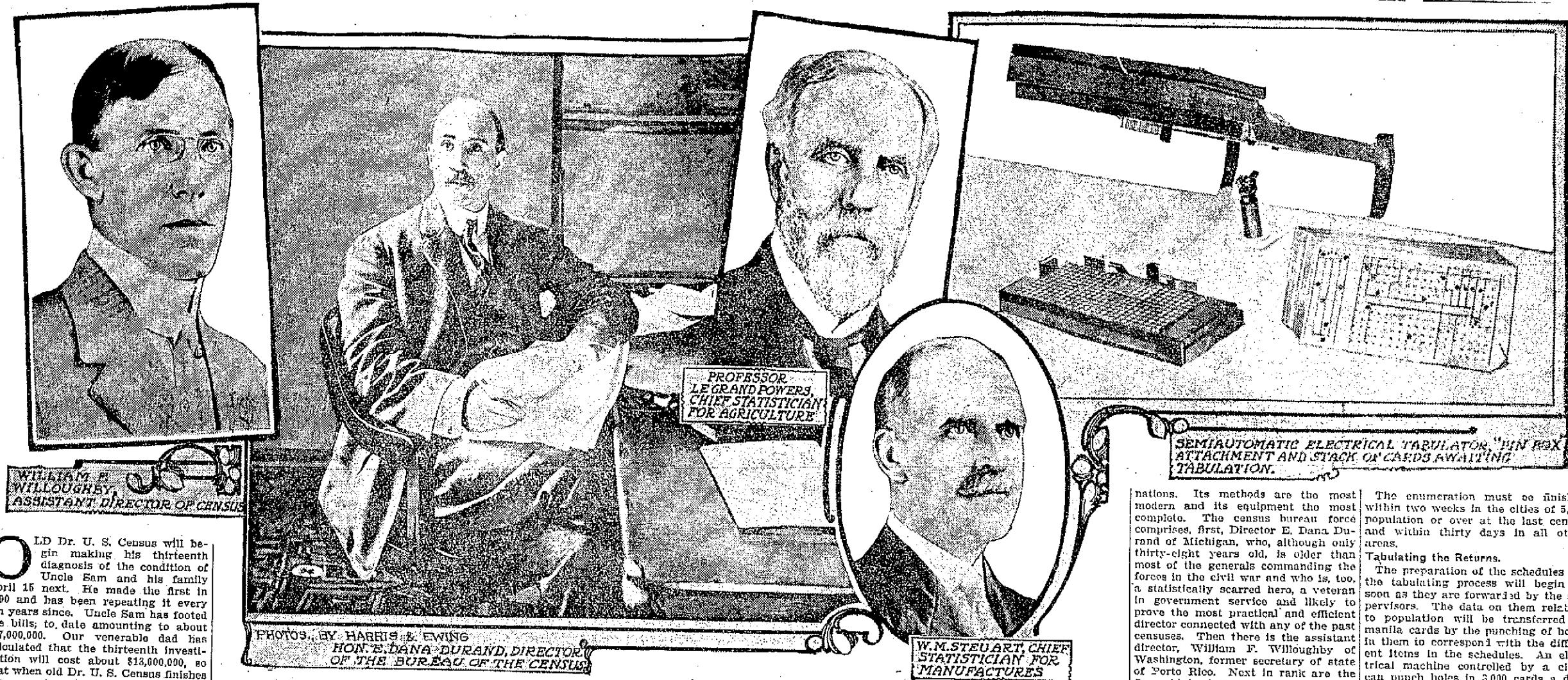
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UNCLE SAM'S THIRTEENTH CENSUS

of Population, Farms, Factories, Mines
and Quarries



LD Dr. U. S. Census will begin making his thirteenth diagnosis of the condition of Uncle Sam and his family April 15 next. He made the first in 1790 and has been repeating it every ten years since. Uncle Sam has footed the bills, to date amounting to about \$47,000,000. Our venerable dad has calculated that the thirteenth investigation will cost about \$13,000,000, so that when old Dr. U. S. Census finishes his current work there will have been spent about \$60,000,000 for this purpose since 1790.

The twelfth census cost about \$13,000,000, and as Uncle Sam's landed possessions have increased since then and his family gained about 16,000,000 more members than belonged to it in 1900 it would be considered no more than fair if the present diagnosis were to call for the spending of about \$18,000,000, which would be the sum if the rate of increase of expense at each census up to the twelfth were to be maintained for the thirteenth.

A census expert has estimated that of the \$13,000,000 the headquarters office force will earn \$4,800,000; the enumerators, \$4,500,000; the supervisors, \$920,000, and the special agents, \$700,000. The administrative cost will be \$300,000; the stationery, \$200,000; rent, \$125,000; tabulating machines, \$250,000; cards for tabulation processes, \$100,000; printing, \$800,000; Alaska, \$85,000; Porto Rico, \$160,000. Total, \$12,920,000.

If that is all the expense it is cheap. The late General Francis A. Walker, who was a census authority greater than any other living or dead, once

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HON. DANA DURAND, DIRECTOR
OF THE BUREAU OF THE CENSUS

wrote, that "the people of the United States can well afford to pay for the very best census they can get." He pointed this in connection with a frank confession of his own shortsightedness in underestimating the cost of the tenth census.

It's the old story. When you are ill, get the best doctor you can afford.

The comparative cheapness with which the thirteenth census will be taken will be largely due to Director P. Dana Durand's economical methods, to the introduction of semi-automatic electrical card punching, tabulating and sorting machines and to the inheritance of wisdom from the experience gained by the permanent census bureau. During the term of the latter, which now is in a sort of state of suspended animation pending the taking of the decennial census, the methods of inquiry, tabulation and compilation have been greatly improved both in accuracy and in economy. Millions will be saved.

Modern Methods For Accuracy.

Mr. Durand is responsible for many of the new methods to increase statistical accuracy at every step of the

census taking and to decrease the per capita cost of the enumeration. The card punching, tabulating and sorting machinery is the invention of a census mechanical expert, and the patent rights belong to Uncle Sam. The machines are novel in plan and design, are of greater speed and efficiency than those they superseded and can be built and operated at a large saving of money as compared with previous expenditures for this purpose.

Other money saving features are the elimination of the vital statistics inquiry from the work of the decennial census, as it belongs to the permanent branch of the United States census; the reduction in the number of schedules, the piece price method of paying for machine work, the omission of hand, household and neighborhood inquiries, the methods of inquiry, tabulation and compilation of the census, and the reduction of the size and number of copies of the final reports.

The larger part of the \$13,000,000 will be expended in the fiscal year which began July 1 last and ends June 30, 1910, the first of the three years within which time the thirteenth census must be over, the temporary clerks

and special agents discharged and the permanent census bureau with its office force of 700 clerks again performing its annual intercensal functions. Fully half of the total to be expended will be Washington's share, and the remainder will be distributed all over the country. Washington needs the money and is preparing to absorb the millions into its circulatory system.

Congress has limited the thirteenth census to four general subjects—population, agriculture, manufactures and mines and quarries. The director is authorized to determine the form and subdivision of inquiries. The inquiry as to population relates to April 16, 1910; that as to agriculture concerns the farm operations during 1900 and calls for an inventory of farm equipment April 16, 1910; that relative to manufactures and mines and quarries is for 1902.

An Army to Get the Facts.

The enumerators will carry only the population and agriculture schedules April 16, 1910. Special agents will be sent out with the schedules for the manufactures, mines and quarries data.

There will be fully 65,000 enumerators, of whom about 45,000 will carry both the population and agriculture schedules, as it is estimated that there are now fully 7,000,000 separate farms in America, with farmers numbering well up into a score of millions. In 1900 there were many more billions of dollars of fixed capital invested in agriculture than there were in manufactures, strange as it may seem. And the farmer is getting better off all the time; his mortgage indebtedness is decreasing fast; his taxation is small as compared with the urbanite's burden, and he has taken to automobile riding on a large scale.

This is the heyday of the farmer, and old Dr. U. S. Census is going to diagnose him pretty carefully for fear that with ease comes evil—that is, the neglect of those essentials which have made his prosperity possible.

Census taking every ten years is a tremendous task. It is the greatest single operation undertaken by Uncle Sam, with the exception of the Panama canal work and the assembling of an army in time of war. The American census is the largest, costliest and most accurate of any taken by the civilized enumerators.

nations. Its methods are the most modern and its equipment the most complete. The census bureau force comprises, first, Director E. Dana Durand of Michigan, who, although only thirty-eight years old, is older than most of the generals commanding the forces in the civil war and who is, too, a statistically scarred hero, a veteran in government service and likely to prove the most practical and efficient director connected with any of the past censuses. Then there is the assistant director, William F. Willoughby of Washington, former secretary of state of Porto Rico. Next in rank are the five chief statisticians—William C. Hunt, in charge of the population division; Le Grand Powers, heading the agricultural division; William M. Stewart, overseeing the manufactures division; Dr. Cressy L. Wilbur, the vital statistics work, and Dr. Joseph Adair Hill, the division of revision and results. Charles S. Sloane is the geographer; Albertus H. Baldwin is the chief clerk. Voter V. Viles is chief of the publication division, Hugh M. Brown is private secretary to the director, Robert M. Pindell, Jr., is the appointment clerk, George Johannes is the disbursing officer and C. W. Spicer is the mechanical expert. In addition to these are the chiefs of the divisions under the chief statistician.

There are about 750 permanent clerks, and there will be 3,000 temporary clerks, etc. The supervisors will number 330, and they will employ and direct the 65,000 enumerators. Twenty expert special agents will exercise an advisory function. There will be about 1,600 chief special agents and assistant special agents. The supervisors will also probably employ 1,000 clerks, 500 special agents and 4,000 interpreters to assist them in the direction of the

enumeration must be finished within two weeks in the cities of 5,000 population or over at the last census and within thirty days in all other areas.

Tabulating the Returns.

The preparation of the schedules for the tabulating process will begin as soon as they are forwarded by the supervisors. The data on them relating to population will be transferred to manila cards by the punching of holes in them in correspondence with the different items in the schedules. An electrical machine controlled by a clerk can punch holes in 3,000 cards a day. There will be 300 of these, and 90,000,000 cards have been ordered.

After the punching of the cards are fed into an electric tabulating machine with a "pin box" attachment, which permits the required pins to pass through the variously placed holes in the cards. In this way establishing an electric circuit, resulting in the tabulation of the items on counters which register their results in printing on speeded paper somewhat like a stock ticker. There will be a hundred of these machines. After certain comparisons to prove accuracy the schedules are permanently preserved in a great iron safe in the census bureau.

As the card does not contain the name of the person for whom it stands, all personal identity is eliminated from the cards. All danger of misuse of such information disappears. Severe penalties are provided in case any employee discloses census information to outsiders. The next step is the making of the maps and tables to accompany the analyses and then, finally, the issue of the printed bulletins and reports. Before July 1, 1912, the work must be over and the thirteenth census gone to join its scientific ancestors.

PHILIP DARWIN.

Sixty-first Congress Is In Sight

First Winter Session of the Taft Administration Promises to Be Unusually Active. Forecast of Legislation and Important Appointments.

THE congress that meets Monday, Dec. 6, next, will be the first regular session of the Sixty-first congress. The session met Monday, March 15, was a special one, called by President Taft to consider the tariff.

The session will be unusually active if it undertakes to carry out the expectations of the president, who returned from the record presidential jaunt Nov. 10. Some of the things outlined by him are the following:

Of first consideration are the conservation of the country's resources and the reclamation of arid lands. The president was evidently impressed in his journey with the earnestness of the west on these propositions.

He will recommend that the government shall reserve some control on the water power sites and the coal lands and phosphates of the country in order that they may not come into the control of any one corporation.

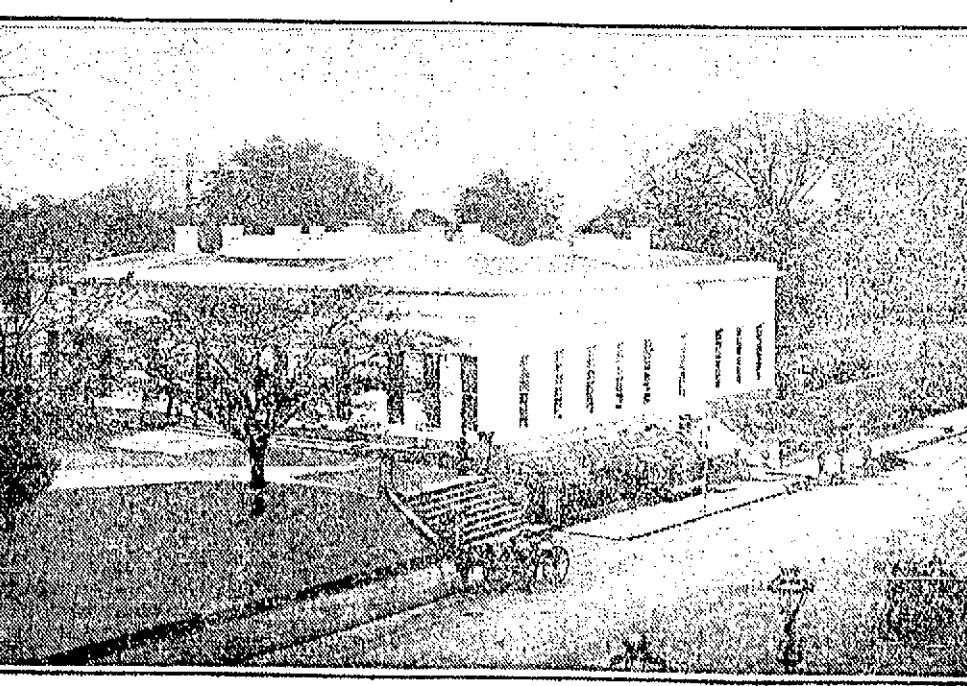
He will ask for legislation for a more rigid enforcement of the anti-trust law that it may be more effective.

He will also ask an amendment to the interstate commerce law in order

to give the interstate tribunal more power to prevent the delays which are now incident to appeals to the courts. To do this he will suggest the creation of a special court and have a court that will be charged with the knowledge and practice in regard to railroads, so that whatever comes up may be promptly disposed of.

He will strongly favor a postal savings bank. He hopes that the money commission in its report may point out some steps to reform what he regards as nothing but patchwork in that respect. He will recommend an improvement of the legal procedure of the country so as to make it, both in criminal and civil cases, more simple, more rapid and less expensive. To this end he will recommend to congress the appointment of a commission to take up this subject with respect to the federal procedure, and if by the federal procedure satisfactory results are achieved it will form a model for the states.

What other matters may be recommended remains to be seen, but those mentioned are full of live interest, and some of them will bring the two wings



NEW WHITE HOUSE OFFICE BUILDING.

adjournment of the special session. Johnson was a Republican. Thompson is a Democrat. His appointment to fill the vacancy was made Nov. 10 by Governor Burke, who is a Democrat. Thompson is one of the leaders of his party in his state, but his officeholding has been confined to county offices. In the lower house a new representative will take the place of William Larimer of Chicago, who was elected United States senator last spring by the Illinois legislature. However, the Republicans will continue to have a majority in both branches.

Practically a new face in the lower house will be James H. Cassidy, elected last April to succeed Theodore E. Burton, who was elected United States senator from Ohio last winter. Burton had represented the district in Ohio comprised of the city of Cleveland. Cassidy was elected to succeed him last April. He was present during a part of the special session and had the distinction of being the youngest representative.

The re-election of Speaker Cannon at the beginning of the special session does away with an exciting and interesting event that usually comes before the lower house of a new congress.

The new executive offices will be the most spacious yet provided for a chief magistrate of the United States. Since August workmen have been adding to the old executive offices of the White House proper. The new addition is built over the old Roosevelt tennis court. The court lay just outside of the old presidential offices, and it was there that President Roosevelt and his so-called "tennis cabinet," composed of the younger members of the administration, took their exercise. The cost of the new offices, combined with the cost of the offices erected during the administration of President Roosevelt, will represent an actual outlay of about \$100,000, exclusive of the cost of tearing down the old building preparatory to erecting the new addition.

Three new men in the administration circle will be Mr. Lee McClellan, recently appointed treasurer of the United States by President Taft; C. D. Norton, a late accession to the treasury department, as an assistant secretary, and Professor A. P. Andrews, director of the mint.

For a number of years multitudinous of the land have been gravitating toward Washington as a residential city during the winter and early spring. Every year it has been becoming more and more a city of magnificent homes. More than 150 mansions of imposing architecture, with furnishings in accord with the exteriors, have added to the beauty of the capital in the last few years. One approaching completion is that of Mrs. S. S. Wyeth on Massachusetts avenue. Its style is of Louis XVI, design, and the interior decorations are most elaborate and unique. It is only one of many. The broad avenues that radiate from the capitol building are miles of mansions such as few cities can present.

HOMER RIVERS.

In his speech at Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 26, while he was en route to New Orleans, President Taft extended an invitation to the twenty-two governors who were accompanying him down the river to attend a third conference of governors at Washington in December of this year.

The first conference of governors occurred at the national capital May 13, 1908. Of the number invited thirty-two reported. New Mexico, Arizona, Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico were also represented. Others came in later.

The second conference was held in Washington, Dec. 8, 1908. Mr. Taft as president elect was there, as were also representatives from Canada.

The conference next month is for the purpose of taking up the questions discussed at the previous conferences—conserving the natural resources of the country by preserving the forests, irrigating arid lands and improving the waterways. In referring to the omission of congress to make any appropriation for the meeting of the governors President Taft told the governors at Memphis that they need not stay away on that account, as the White House latching would be where every governor could put his hand on it.

The National Civic Federation will be in session next month in Washington, and the president said he would like the governors to meet the civics and get acquainted.

The idea of a conference of governors did not originate with President Roosevelt, but was the aftermath of a proposition made by William George Jordan, formerly editor of the Saturday Evening Post, in 1907. The Jordan idea was more far-reaching than the conferences already mentioned, and it is not to be confounded with the meetings held in Washington. Mr. Jordan communicated his idea to President Roosevelt, who soon thereafter called the conferences held during his administration. The Jordan suggestion was so popularized in the pamphlet issued by him in 1907. The scope of the institution proposed by Mr. Jordan is stated concisely in his pamphlet as follows:

"It is proposed that the governors of the forty-six states meet annually for a session of two or three weeks to discuss, consult and confer on vital questions affecting the welfare of the states, the unifying of state laws and the closer unity of the states as a nation. The house of governors would have no lawmaking power, nor should it ever aspire to such power. Its force would be in initiative, in inspiration and in influence. The governors would seek to unite on a general basis of action

on great questions to be submitted to the legislatures of the respective states in the governors' messages. It would be an august, dignified body of forty-six governors, representing their states, with the lawmaking power of forty-six legislatures behind them, should in time become an inherent part in the American idea of self-government and a powerful factor for good in the nation."

It is also the Jordan idea that the meetings of the house of governors shall be annual and that the place of the meeting shall not be in Washington, but successively in state capitals selected by vote of the house or by decision of a committee. It also suggests that the president of the United States have no part in the meetings. Mr. Jordan's proposition was referred to an executive committee of

five, consisting of Governors Augustus E. Wilson of Kentucky, Claudio E. Swanson of Virginia, Charles E. Hughes of New York, Edmund F. Goelet of Mississippi and James N. Gillett of California. Governor Swanson's term as governor of Virginia expires next year.

The conference of governors in Washington next month has no connection, it should be understood, with the proposition of Mr. Jordan. They will discuss the conservation propositions which the other conferences considered, and especially the deep waterway question that was considered at New Orleans. Chief among the interested governors on this question are Governor Denon of Illinois, Governor Quinby of New Hampshire and possibly Ex-Governor Blanchard of Louisiana.

SANDEIRD OWENS.

Governors Called to Washington

Conference of State Executives to Discuss Conservation Matters -- Scope of the House of Governors Proposed by William George Jordan.



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WILLIAM GEORGE JORDAN.

SERIOUS CHARGE

Italian Boy is Accused of Using a Blackjack

HAVERHILL, Nov. 30.—Crouching beneath a bed in an upper story room of a house on Ayer st. at midnight Sunday, Angelo Del Rosso, charged with assaulting a fellow countryman with a blackjack, a knife and his teeth, was found by Patrolman Howard K. Shute, who had a warrant for his arrest. He was locked up after his father had told the police that the prisoner was over 17 years of age.

The affair occurred on River street late Sunday night, when Del Rosso became enraged at being asked about some money he had borrowed from Peter Grassi to buy clothing. The wordy encounter was brief, and without warning, it is alleged, he pulled the blackjack from his pocket and struck Grassi on the head.

Other Italians who witnessed the blow quickly closed in on the youth and he was disarmed. He is said to have then pulled a knife from his pocket and made a lunge, but that before he could execute his designs the weapon was wrested from him and he was borne to the ground. As the others attempted to restrain him, he wiggled toward Grassi and sunk his teeth in the man's leg.

As soon as he was released he ran away, but by that time the news of the fight had reached the police. Pa-

due of the preacher, according to their sentiments on the question at stake. Farmers voted largely against the amendment. Most of the larger counties went heavily against the measure. White women and children were at the polls in many places; their presence did not affect the votes to any extent.

Oscar Hall, tax commissioners of Baldwin county, fell dead at his home in Bay Minette a few minutes after voting for the amendment. Physicians said death was due to heart disease.

REV. FR. GROLEAU

Eminent Dominican to Give Mission Here

A mission for women will be held next week at Notre Dame de Lourdes parish and will be conducted by Rev. Fr. Groleau, O. P., formerly superior of the Dominican monastery at Fall River and now apostolic missionary to the diocese of Springfield. The mission is held preparatory for the feast of the Immaculate Conception, which falls on December 8.

Rev. Fr. Groleau is one of the most eminent members of his order in the United States, and one of the best French Catholic speakers in the country. He will preach his first sermon next Sunday night.

A week's mission for the same purpose and also for the young women, will be opened in St. Joseph's parish also on the same day. At St. Louis church a triduum only will be held.

The Forty Hours' devotion in St. Joseph's parish will be held next week, beginning next Sunday at high mass at St. Joseph's church.

At all the masses at the Sacred Heart church Sunday the pastor, Rev. T. W. Smith, O. M. I., said that there would be a retreat for the women of the parish, married and single, commencing on the feast of the Immaculate Conception, Wednesday, Dec. 8th, and closing Sunday evening, Dec. 12th.

This evening at 7.30 o'clock the Children of Mary sodality will hold its regular monthly meeting in the lower church. All the members are invited to be present.

At St. Peter's church, the newly formed sodality of the Immaculate Conception will meet this evening under direction of Rev. W. George Milburn. There will be a reception into this sodality on December 8th.

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13 LIVES LOST ARSON CHARGED ARTIST'S WIFE

In Wreck of Coasting Schooner

NORTH SYDNEY, N. S., Nov. 30.—Thirteen lives are believed to have been lost in the wreck of the coasting schooner Little Jap, the battered hull of which was washed ashore at Head Cliff on the west coast of New Foundland, on November 9 and it is believed that she was one of the many victims of the great gale of November 10.

Six widows and fifteen children are left helpless by the wreck.

The vessel registered 50 tons and carried 700 quintals of dry fish. The government had sent out two steamers to search for the Little Jap since the great storm.

HERD OF IBEX

BAKER CITY MAN TRYING TO GET ONE

PORLTAND, Ore., Nov. 30.—Hoping to save the only herd of ibex known to exist on the American continent, W. R. Parker, of Baker City, Ore., is in Portland, where he will seek to have the state or federal government surround Eagle mountain, in the Cornucopia range, Eastern Oregon, with a game preserve that the few remaining animals of this species may be saved from the big game hunter.

Mr. Parker astonished hunters recently when he announced he had found a herd of ibex in the almost inaccessible parts of Mount Eagle. Because of his experience as a hunter and guide, his statement was not openly scorned but proof was wanted. He returned to the mountain and shot three specimens that were brought out, photographed and stated in telling of his discovery this week. Mr. Parker said:

"We went into the Cornucopia mountains in 1906 after bear, having been in the habit of following that sport every spring. We first located three flocks but later my brother found about 25 in all. The animals have not been molested so far as I know, since the fall of that year, when I killed the specimens referred to for scientific purposes. We have always refused to guide hunters to their feeding grounds.

"This country is now filling up with settlers and in my opinion it will only be a short time until somebody runs into the haunts of the little herd of ibex, the only animals of that species known to exist on the continent. Some protection should be afforded them, and I stand ready to give the proper officials all the information we have gathered. If the ibex are not protected they will probably soon disappear. I think a game preserve should be thrown around this mountain at once."

DEXTER SMITH DEAD

BOSTON, Nov. 30.—Dexter Smith, 28 years ago one of the best known musical critics in the country, and the author of several songs which had a wide popularity, died Sunday night at his home in the Back Bay, having dropped dead while walking on the street.

Mr. Smith was born in Salem in 1888. Among his popular songs were "Put Me in My Little Bed" and "Cross and Crown."

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EXPECTS NEW CHURCH

CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 30.—On the eve of John D. Rockefeller's departure for the east, Rev. W. W. Bustard, pastor of the Euclid Avenue Baptist church, announced last night at the annual banquet of the Men's club that he expects a great institutional church to be erected in the near future on the site of the present structure.

"And there will be a place in it for saving the bad as well as the good," said he.

Both Rev. Charles A. Eaton, former pastor, and Dr. Bustard, present pastor, have urged upon Mr. Rockefeller the need of such an edifice and it is believed that Dr. Bustard's prediction of a structure of the kind is inspired.

ADMIRAL PHELPS

Received Sealed Orders From Washington

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 30.—It was learned last night on what appears to be good authority that Rear Admiral Phelps, commandant of the Mare Island navy yard, received a telegram from Washington yesterday which is in the nature of sealed orders, since it is not to be opened until Dec. 1, and it is believed to relate to the Nicaraguan situation.

The arrival of the message and a short time preceding it which set the time for its perusal is given peculiar importance because the gunboat Princeton, which sailed from Bremerton navy yard Sunday en route to Corinto, will arrive at Mare Island early on Dec. 1, to load stores and ammunition.

The unopened message, it is stated, is the longest received at the Mare Island navy yard since the Spanish-American war. Navy officials believe it to be orders relative to preparations for naval activity, presumably on the Nicaraguan situation.

According to orders received by the Princeton the gunboat is to proceed to Corinto with all possible speed and join the Vicksburg now at that port.

PHILIP W. AYRES

SAYS WHITE MOUNTAIN REGION IS A FOREST COUNTRY

"The White Mountain region is naturally a forest country," says Philip W. Ayres, in an article on the Commercial Importance of the White Mountain Forests, which the U. S. Forest Service has just published in circular form.

The rocky soil, steep slopes, and high elevations prevent the use of the land for agriculture, except in a few favored places. The forests that cover the mountains are partly primeval, partly culled, and in places cut clean by the axe. In many places they have been injured severely by fire. Their resources are of great and far-reaching value, for their use extends not only throughout New England, but also in the form of newspaper manufactured from spruce and in other manufactured products throughout the entire country.

"The persistent widespread advance in the price of timber products has been felt throughout the land. It has already affected directly all forms of business that deal primarily with wood, such as the building trades, the woodworking factories, ties for railway construction and repair, and mine props, and indirectly other business, such as farming, in which the cost of a barn or a wagon is much greater than heretofore. It is confidently asserted that the rise in the price of lumber which marks the opening of the present century is the beginning of a greater and more rapid rise which is to come, and the suffering which will result from the progressive failure of our timber was but faintly foreshadowed by the recent temporary scarcity of coal.

"There has been reckless waste of the vast forest wealth of the nation, which is still going on, but changes for the better are being made in important directions. The more thoughtful lumbermen see the issue clearly and have begun to treat the forest more conservatively. Some have bought up large tracts against the coming scarcity. The government has established national forests in the west, which will in part meet the ever-growing demand for timber in that section of the country.

"The even flow of water from mountain forests is of utmost importance. Commerce and manufacture depend upon it. The White Mountains form the great watershed of New England. Five of the most important rivers of New England, each having remarkable water power, take their rise in the heights of northern New Hampshire and in portions of two adjoining counties in Maine. These rivers are the Connecticut, the Merrimack, the Saco, the Androscoggin and the Kennebec. The growth of many of the most progressive and populous cities in New England, such as Boston, have depended upon the development of water powers on these rivers, so that it may be said that the financial well-being of New England hinges upon them. Moreover, each summer the mountain affords rest and recreation to many thousands of people from all parts of the country."

BUCK DEER

DISPUTED RIGHT OF WAY WITH TRAIN

PORLTAND, Ore., Nov. 30.—With his head held high in air, his antlers proudly erect, and his feet planted firmly on the railroad track, a big buck deer disputed the right of way with a fast passenger train near Knapsack, Oreg., on the Astoria & Columbia River railroad a few days ago. The engineer whistled repeatedly but the buck stood his ground, glaring defiance at the headlight of the locomotive. The engine won the contest and there was but little left of the deer after the engine passed, small pieces of widely scattered venison being the only evidence of the duel.

SEN. ALDRICH

SAYS PANIC COST UNITED STATES \$2,000,000,000

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Nelson W. Aldrich, United States senator from Rhode Island and chairman of the national monetary commission, told a representative gathering of men at the Hotel Astor last night that the panic of 1907 cost the United States more than two billion dollars. He made this declaration in addressing members of the Economic Club of New York, which was holding its annual banquet with the monetary commission and ex-Ambassador Henry White and Ambassador

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dor David Jayne Hill as the guests of honor.

As he emphasized the necessity for a change in the monetary system of this country, Senator Aldrich said:

"The disastrous results of that crisis (the panic of 1907) can never be completely measured. Its destructive influences were felt throughout the world, and the United States escaped only by the narrowest margin a total collapse of all credit and the wholesale destruction of all values."

J. Pierpont Morgan was among the 1200 persons at the banquet. Ex-Ambassador White and Ambassador Hill spoke briefly.

NICARAGUAN MINISTER TALKS

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 30.—Francisco Castro, Nicaraguan minister to Mexico, in response to an inquiry regarding a rumor last night, said that he was not aware of any appeal having been made by President Zelaya of Nicaragua to the Mexican government for aid.

BABY'S TERRIBLE WATERY ECZEMA

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PRESIDENT ZELAYA WOMAN ON TRIAL

Makes Conditional Offer of Retirement From Office She is Charged With Murdering Her Husband

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—President Zelaya has made overtures to the revolutionists intimating his willingness to retire from the presidency of Nicaragua provided the congress be allowed to select a provisional president in his stead.

This news comes from the United States consulate at Bluefields and was sent late Sunday night.

It was further said that the belligerent rights by the central government or by foreign powers in no way involves the recognition of the rebellious government as a separate political organization, but only implies that the laws of war are to prevail in the military operations undertaken for the purpose of suppressing the rebellion and restoring the supremacy of the national government.

While the facts are not quite so clear as to the Nicaraguan situation it is understood that a state of armed insurrection exists in Nicaragua which had reached the stage of actual war.

A CITY EMPLOYEE ANOTHER ARREST

Asks That His Salary be Cut

NEW YORK, Nov. 30.—Comptroller Metz was surprised yesterday by the receipt of a request from an employee of the city that his salary of \$1500 a year be reduced. Jacinto Costa, of 1640 East Twelfth street, Brooklyn, made the proposition to the comptroller in a letter dated on Saturday.

He has served as an assistant corporation counsel in the bureau of street openings in Brooklyn since 1897. Last year he brought a suit for the recovery of \$2000 in damages against John P. Dunn, the head of the bureau, for an alleged statement that he should be dismissed from the bureau for incompetency.

In his letter to Metz, Costa says: "I believe that my salary should be reduced from 10 to 15 percent, although it is true that my duties may be regarded as important, because I pass on the legality of matters involving more than \$8,000,000 annually of the city's money."

Costa suggests a wholesale reduction of salaries "in the various departments, not excluding the comptroller's office," and declares that there are many men in the finance department receiving \$6000 or \$8000 a year who do not give services which, at a liberal appraisal, could be valued at one-tenth of that amount."

LEGAL OFFICERS

Do Not Agree With General Grant

WASHINGTON, Nov. 30.—General Frederick Grant's reported utterances regarding the killing by President Zelaya of the two Americans, Cannon and Groce, probably will not be subject for action by the secretary of war.

Legal officers of the government, however, well versed in international law, take a view of the matter entirely at variance with that of Gen. Grant, and hold that there could be no legal or other justification for the killing of Cannon and Groce. A high legal authority in those matters said today that the general rule appears to be that forces engaged in insurrections within a state are entitled to belligerent rights when the insurrection has reached the stage of an organized rebellion so that the central government is required to resort to warlike measures in order to quell the same. Weston's international law lays down the doctrine that whether the struggle is a war or is not is to be determined not from the relation of the combatants to each other, but from the mode in which it is carried on.

INTERNATIONAL SINGLES.
A. F. Wilding, New Zealand, beat Maurice McLonghlin, United States, 3-6, 6-2, 6-3.
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